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NOTES ON THE CRIMINAL STATEMENTS FOR 1870.

THE first statement shows the number of offences reported, and prosecuted, and the number of persons brought under trial, or enquiry in the Magisterial Courts of these Provinces in the year 1870.

It also gives the number of persons acquitted, discharged, and convicted, as well as the number of persons whose cases remained undetermined at the end of the year.

The figures under these heads for the last three years, respectively, are given in the table subjoined:—

	Reported.	Prosecuted.	Under trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted and committed.	Undisposed of.
In 1868 ...	1,09,629	57,400	1,06,830	34,906	70,249	1,231
In 1869 ...	1,24,314	67,085	1,24,097	38,751	83,631	996
In 1870 ...	1,09,339	60,661	1,14,399	34,748	78,152	1,003
Decrease ...	14,975	6,424	9,698	4,003	5,499	...
Increase ...	...	...	...	...	...	7

It will be seen from this table that there has been a very considerable decrease in crime in 1870, as compared with the calendar of 1869. The number of offences reported has fallen very nearly to what it was in 1868; but the number of offences prosecuted, of persons tried and of offences prosecuted to conviction, is still in excess of the corresponding figures for 1868. There were 7 more persons, whose cases remained undetermined at the end of 1870, than there were at the close of 1869; but that there were 228 persons less on the pending file in 1870 than in 1868 is creditable to the Courts, and proves general punctuality and despatch in the disposal of their work. In most districts the cases remaining over from 1870 were instituted during the last ten days of the year.

It is satisfactory to find that the graver offences, both against person and property, show a very considerable decrease. Offences of causing hurt and grievous hurt, have increased, as also have crimes of house-breaking in order to commit theft, the great majority of which were little more than attempts, which did not proceed beyond making a hole in a wall, or lurking about premises, where grain, vegetables, and such articles are kept.

	1870.	1869.	1868.
Murder ...	339	380	427
Culpable Homicide ...	215	282	296
Grievous Hurt,	935	854	969
Hurt ...	7,788	6,711	7,368

The Statements given in the margin exhibit the number of offences of violence, and of crimes against property reported during the last three years.

	1870.	1869.	1868.
Theft	26,692	36,532	34,199
Robbery	488	614	532
Dacoity	79	129	113
House-breaking for theft	17,868	10,316	16,569

Of the entire bulk of the offences reported (1,09,339) not less than (20,742) or nearly 20 per cent. were offences of a very minor character, being mainly breaches

of special acts for the protection of the Revenue; offences against Municipal Bye-laws, and against the Canal Act.

Besides these 4,134 nuisances were reported, and 984 persons were dealt with as vagrants, and persons of bad repute.

From these figures it will be seen that the crime calendar of the year was mainly of a light and insignificant character. This result is attributed in some districts to the increased agricultural prosperity of the year; and in others, as in Saharunpore, to the great prevalence of fever and other illness.

The percentage of persons convicted and committed to the Superior Courts to the entire number whose cases were disposed of during the year was 69, against 68 in 1869, and 66 in 1868.

This apparent improvement is probably due to the increased number of prosecutions for Municipal and Canal offences, in which the percentage of convictions is ordinarily high.

The highest and lowest percentages of convictions were attained in the districts quoted in the margin.

Best results in 1870.		*Best results in 1869.*	
Ajmere	82	Benares	83
Benares and Cawnpore	80	Cawnpore	80
Mynpoory	77	Ajmere	78
Bustee, Allahabad, Etawah and Etah ...	76	Etawah and Mynpoory	77
Boolundshuhur and Humeerpore ...	75	Etah	76
Muttra and Futtehpore	74	Shahjehanpore	75
Furruckabad	73	Allahabad	74
Shahjehanpore	72	Allygurh	73
		Futtehpore	72
Worst results in 1870.		*Worst results in 1869.*	
...on	47	Gurhwal	44
...awal	54	Mirzapore	48
...areilly	59	Goruckpore	58
Budaon, Mirzapore and Goruckpore ...	60	Bareilly	60

At the beginning of the year 1870, the cases of 996 persons were pending from the previous year.

51,930 persons were brought to trial by arrest, and 60,779 by summons during the year.

There were also 694 persons to be dealt with whose cases were received by transfer in the Magistrates' Courts.

The total number of persons for disposal was thus: 1,14,399.

The figures given in the margin show how these persons were disposed of by the Courts in the last three years.

	In 1868.	In 1869.	In 1870.
Discharged ...	18,112	20,223	17,652
Acquitted ...	16,784	18,528	17,096
Convicted including committed ...	70,259	83,631	78,132
Died, escaped, or transferred ...	444	719	516

Of the 1,003 persons awaiting trial, 629 were in custody and 374 on bail. The column giving the number of persons discharged without trial, shows a marked improvement, except in the most Subordinate Courts. The figures for the majority of the districts, under this head, furnish reason for believing that greater care and discretion are now exercised in issuing the processes of the Courts. The proportion of persons acquitted after trial to the entire number of persons disposed of was 15 per cent. being the same as in the previous year.

Of the cases undisposed of at the end of 1870, 42 had been pending above six weeks, 13 of these were in the Banda District.

Punishment was inflicted by the several Magisterial tribunals to the following extent, *viz.*, 15,613 persons were fined an aggregate sum of Rs. 3,83,861, of which Rs. 2,89,576 were realized.

16,653 persons were imprisoned, and 4,140 persons were flogged, of whom 990 were juveniles, and 3,150 adults.

1293 persons were ordered to find security for good behaviour.

1635 persons were required to find security, and 2,129 to enter into recognizances to keep the peace

3028 were imprisoned and fined; 535 were imprisoned and flogged; 8 were fined and flogged; and one was fined, imprisoned and flogged.

The total number of persons thus punished amounted to 75,365.

The table given below shows these figures for the last three years.

	Fined.	Imprisoned.	Flogged.	Security for good behaviour.	Security to keep the peace.	Recognizance to keep the peace.	Imprisoned and fined.	Imprisoned and flogged.	Fined and flogged.	Total.
In 1868,	39,609	15,748	3,248	1,611	1,595	2,328	2,777	354	17	67,287
In 1869,	41,763	23 066	6,384	1,373	1,354	1,992	3 061	517	20	80,130
In 1870,	45,643	16,653	4,140	1,293	1,635	2,129	3 028	535	9	75,065

Of the persons fined, 35,132 were fined sums not exceeding Rs. 5; 12,839 were fined sums not exceeding Rs. 50; leaving a remainder of 709 only, who were fined sums exceeding Rs. 50.

Of the 18,895 persons punished with rigorous imprisonment, 2,223 were imprisoned for periods not exceeding 15 days; 11,350 for periods not exceeding 6 months; 5,254 for periods not exceeding 2 years; and 68 for periods exceeding 2 years.

1322 persons were punished with simple imprisonment

1019 persons were imprisoned in default of furnishing security.

2,56,700 witnesses attended the Magistrates' Courts in the year under review, being 35,333 less than in the previous year. It is stated that of these 12,710 only were detained more than one day. But the Court has reason to think that these statements are not always trustworthy. In the District of Boolundshuhur, for instance, the attention of the Magistrate was directed by the Court to this statement in consequence of certain figures, which attracted notice; and it was found on scrutiny, that the returns of some of the Courts in that district were quite incorrect.

The average duration of cases in the Magistrates' Courts is shown to have been eight days.

2707 persons appealed from the sentences passed by the Subordinate Magistrates to the Magistrate; of these appeals 119 were rejected, 1,730 failed, 766 prevailed, 46 cases were remanded for further trial or investigation, and 43 remained pending at the end of the year.

3936 persons appealed to the Sessions Courts, being 10 more than in the previous year. Of these appeals 601 were rejected, 2,091 failed, 1,074 succeeded, 42 were returned for new trial, and 127 remained pending at the end of the year.

2960 persons, including those awaiting trial at the end of the previous year, were committed for trial to the Sessions Courts, being 375 less than the commitments in 1869. Of these persons 1,959 were convicted, 713 were acquitted, and 237 remained untried at the end of the year.

The percentage of convictions to trials 73 was good.

The largest and smallest number of commitments was made in the districts noted in the margin. The highest percentage of conviction was attained in Dehra Doon, Lullutpore, Jaloun and Jhansie, where it was 100 per cent., in Saharunpore, where it was 94 per cent., in Shahjehanpore, where it was 92 per cent., in Cawnpore and Humeerpore, where it was 85 per cent., and in Mirzapore, where it was 84 per cent. The only conspicuous failure in this respect was in the Azimgurh District, where as many as 84 per cent. of the commitments failed.

Largest number of Commitments.		*Smallest number of Commitments.*	
Mirzapore	... 199	Jaloun and Gurhwal	... 7
Moradabad	... 185	Dehra Doon	... 8
Banda	... 179	Jhansie	... 18
Cawnpore	... 162	Kumaon	... 25
Shahjehanpore	... 161	Azimgurh	... 33
Goruckpore	... 158	Etawah	... 35
Ghazeepore	... 149	Budaon	... 41
		Ajmere	... 48

1,885 persons were punished by the Sessions Judges in the year under review.

Rs. 26,093 were imposed as fines, of which only Rs. 9,229 were realized in the year. It has been reported that measures are being taken to levy the remainder.

The Sessions Courts sentenced 1,505 persons to rigorous, and 43 to simple imprisonment.

3 persons were transported for terms of years, and 191 persons for life.

One sentence only of forfeiture of property was passed.

3 adults and 9 juveniles were punished with flogging.

1229 cases were tried with the aid of assessors; 3,594 persons served in this capacity of whom the great majority were of the land-holding and trader classes.

In 1,088 cases the Judges concurred with, and in 141 cases differred from the assessors.

The majority of the Judges write favorably of the aid rendered by the assessors.

105 capital sentences, being one less than in the previous year, were referred for confirmation to the High Court in 1870; 88 of these sentences were confirmed, 14 were modified, and 3 were remitted altogether.

The cases of 727 persons came before the High Court in appeal, or on revision in the year under review.

Of these cases sentence was confirmed in 495, was modified in 149, and was reversed in 83. 457 cases came before the High Court in the exercise of its powers under Sections 404 and 434 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

In 337 of these the order of the Lower Courts was confirmed, in 103 it was modified, and in 17 reversed. 23 commitments were made to the High Court in the year under review. All were disposed of. The accused were 24 in number, of whom 10 were acquitted, and 14 convicted.

105 witnesses were examined in these trials.

The statement given in the margin shows the sentences confirmed, or sanctioned on appeal, or passed in the exercise of its original jurisdiction, by the High Court, in the years 1869 and 1870, respectively.

	1870.	1869.
Death	... 88	71
Transportation for life	... 16	27
Above 7 and not exceeding 14 years	... 3	1
Imprisonment for life	... 0	0
Imprisonment above 12 and not exceeding 21 years	... 0	2
Imprisonment above 5 years and not exceeding 10 years,	47	28
Imprisonment not exceeding 5 years	... 116	164

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General Statement showing the Number of Offences reported and prosecuted as well as the Number of Persons under trial, and those whose Cases were disposed of during the year 1870 in the Magisterial Courts, North-Western Provinces.

District.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of offences prosecuted.	Number of persons under trial.	Number of persons whose cases were disposed of: Acquitted or discharged.	Number of persons whose cases were disposed of: Convicted, including committed.	Number of persons whose cases were left undisposed at the close of the year.	Percentage of persons convicted and committed, to those whose cases were disposed of.
Saharunpore	2,809	1,620	2,904	848	2,011	29	·70
Moozuffernuggur	1,542	1,015	1,900	709	1,180	3	·62
Dehra Doon	1,018	810	1,230	439	786	4	·64
Meerut	1,997	2,637	5,708	1,592	4,093	11	·71
Bolundshuhur	2,900	2,083	4,730	1,192	3,523	14	·75
Allygurh	3,045	2,131	4,274	1,406	2,796	64	·67
Etah	3,076	1,472	3,126	737	2,358	31	·76
Moradabad	7,205	2,234	4,295	1,534	2,684	62	·63
Bijnour	1,777	998	1,991	634	1,313	28	·67
Bareilly	7,246	2,907	5,214	2,098	3,084	30	·59
Budaun	8,416	1,737	2,869	1,141	1,719	8	·60
Shahjehanpore	5,277	2,467	4,590	1,255	3,251	43	·72
Agra	5,139	2,837	5,004	1,770	3,170	34	·64
Muttra	2,812	1,840	3,762	972	2,756	24	·74
Furruckabad	2,965	1,907	3,872	1,032	2,807	28	·73
Mynpoorie	1,557	1,048	2,211	510	1,680	8	·77
Etawah	2,644	1,593	2,753	651	2,066	33	·76
Cawnpore	3,979	2,687	4,278	832	3,324	9	·80
Humeerpore	3,046	1,170	2,155	510	1,598	10	·75
Futtehpore	1,717	1,081	1,774	445	1,296	14	·74
Banda	2,878	1,429	3,105	936	2,153	42	·69
Allahabad	6,107	3,128	6,091	1,444	4,593	41	·76
Goruckpore	6,057	2,430	4,401	1,754	2,603	38	·60
Busee	1,785	947	1,735	388	1,270	20	·76
Azimgurh	3,666	1,555	2,546	868	1,578	95	·64
Jounpore	2,673	1,715	3,383	1,542	1,814	22	·54
Mirzapore...	4,501	2,867	5,346	2,087	3,182	70	·60
Benares	3,740	2,685	4,964	941	3,976	26	·80
Ghazeepore	3,601	2,130	3,760	1,404	2,247	55	·62
Kumaon	1,077	824	1,536	804	713	17	·47
Gurhwal	672	240	387	174	209	4	·54
Jhansie	1,645	1,009	1,660	517	1,094	23	·68
Jaloun	1,087	927	1,799	505	1,268	11	·71
Lullutpore	1,045	547	987	354	610	19	·63
Ajmere	3,148	1,954	4,060	720	3,253	33	·82
Total of 1870 ...	**1,09,339**	**60,661**	**1,14,399**	**34,748**	**78,132**	**1,003**	**69·**
Total of 1869 ...	**1,24,314**	**67,085**	**1,24,097**	**38,751**	**83,631**	**996**	**68·**
District Average of 1870 ...	**3,124**	**1,733**	**3,268**	**992**	**2,232**	**29**	**69·**
District Average of 1869 ...	**3,551**	**1,916**	**3,545**	**1,107**	**2,389**	**29**	**68**

Statement showing the General Results of Criminal Trials before the various Magisterial Authorities in the Districts of the North-Western Provinces during the year 1870.

Districts.	Number of persons dealt with.					Persons disposed of.				Remaining at the end of the year.		Number of enquiries by Sub Magistrates under Sections 135, 180, and Chapter XVI. of the Criminal Procedure Code	Number of cases pending above 6 weeks at the end of the year	Percentage of convictions in cases committed.
	Remaining at end of last year	Brought to trial during the year. By arrest.	Brought to trial during the year. By summons or recognizance	Received by transfer	Total.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted, including committed.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	In custody.	On bail or recognizance.			
Saharanpore ...	15	1,144	1,732	13	2,904	481	367	2,011	16	28	1	15	5	92·
Moozuffernugger	18	516	1 364	2	1,900	416	293	1,181	8	...	3	6	2	80·
Dehra Doon ...	2	814	414	...	1,230	157	282	786	1	3	1	10	2	100·
Meerut ...	15	2,487	3,192	14	5,708	897	695	4,093	12	4	7	4	...	72·
Boolundshuhur	22	1,197	3,508	3	4,730	863	329	3,523	1	13	1	37	...	83·
Allygurh ...	18	1,477	2,777	2	4,274	839	567	2,796	8	33	28	15	2	77·
Etah ...	17	1,355	1,753	1	3,126	473	264	2,358	...	28	3	...	1	89·
Moradabad ...	47	1,164	3,048	36	4,295	442	1,092	2,684	15	28	34	39	2	62·
Bijnour ...	43	856	1,072	20	1,991	95	539	1,313	16	18	10	35	...	65·
Bareilly ...	49	2,089	3,078	4	5,214	667	1,431	3,084	2	14	16	48	...	63·
Budaon ...	10	1,252	1,606	1	2,869	749	392	1,719	1	7	1	13	...	60·
Shahjehanpore	31	2,655	1,892	12	4,590	271	984	3,251	41	43	...	29	...	92·
Agra ...	49	1,8 9	2,918	213	5,004	700	1,061	3,170	30	15	19	75	...	83·
Muttra ...	47	1,680	2,037	2	3,762	316	656	2,756	10	8	16	...	...	10·
Furruckabad ...	21	1,629	2,208	14	3,872	527	505	2,807	5	19	9	40	1	74·
Mynpoorie ...	11	772	1,425	3	2,211	310	200	1,680	13	7	1	12	...	48·
Etawah ...	21	894	1,839	9	2,753	270	881	2,065	4	17	16	40	...	89·
Cawnpore ...	8	2,007	3,251	12	4,278	121	709	3,394	43	4	5	7	5	86·
Humeerpore ...	8	1,188	945	14	2,155	217	298	1,598	37	9	1	26	...	81·
Futtehpore ...	4	738	1,032	...	1,774	257	191	1,296	16	...	14	41	...	83·
Banda ...	15	1,876	1,662	52	3,105	313	623	2,113	14	39	3	29	13	70·
Allahabad ..	6	3,539	2 541	5	6,091	963	481	4,593	13	29	12	80	2	71·
Goruckpore ...	107	1,890	2,398	6	4,401	1,239	515	2,603	6	30	8	30	...	64·
Bustee ...	39	875	782	39	7,715	154	234	1,270	57	12	8	26	..	73·
Azimgurh ...	66	1,285	1,193	2	2,546	463	405	1 573	10	59	36	15	...	16·
Jounpore ...	11	1,578	1,980	14	3,387	1,171	371	1,814	5	11	11	539	4	65·
Mirzapore ...	103	2,067	3,171	15	5 346	1,002	1,085	3,182	7	39	31	6	...	83·
Benares ...	35	3,295	1,549	82	4 964	481	460	3 976	21	21	5	58	1	83·
Ghazeepore ...	65	1,990	1,699	6	3,760	941	463	2 297	4	38	17	...	2	76·
Kumaon ...	5	527	990	...	1,535	627	177	713	1	...	17	...	..	58·
Gurhwal ...	...	199	188	...	387	147	27	209	...	...	4	25	...	71·
Jhansie ...	14	1,171	471	4	1,660	124	393	1,094	26	9	14	37	...	100·
Jaloun ...	7	940	348	4	1,799	234	271	1,268	15	6	5	5	...	100·
Lullutpore ...	13	748	206	20	987	125	229	610	4	16	3	...	...	100·
Ajmere ...	51	2,520	1,019	70	4,060	589	131	3,263	54	19	14	...	...	78·
Total ...	996	51,930	60,769	694	1,14,399	17,652	17,096	78,132	516	629	374	1,343	42	73·

Statement showing the Degrees of Punishment inflicted by the several Magisterial Tribunals of the Districts, North-Western Provinces, during the year 1870.

District.	Number of persons punished.								
			Flogged.						
	Fined.	Imprisoned.	Juveniles.	Adults.	Ordered to find security for good behaviour.	Ordered to find security to keep the peace.	Ordered to enter into recognizance.	Ordered to maintain wife and children.	Ordered to refrain from taking possession of land or water.
Saharunpore	1,329	355	7	64	30	50	89	...	1
Moozuffurnugger ...	702	226	3	35	21	11	3	...	7
Dehra Dhoon	550	149	4	23	21	2	22	2	...
Meerut	3,071	405	34	94	40	...	216	4	6
Boolundshuhur	2,662	312	20	59	37	5	243	2	15
Allygurh	2,075	435	10	64	1	22	86	1	...
Etah	1,618	470	9	27	25	39	20	1	9
Moradabad	1,361	472	16	49	79	284	12	...	...
Bijnour	678	166	11	29	17	2	161	...	1
Bareilly	1,382	989	42	79	77	28	163	10	...
Budaon	880	385	10	71	34	12	117	2	...
Shahjehanpore	1,758	839	25	184	42	103	23	5	2
Agra	1,931	651	64	170	38	16	117	5	13
Muttra	1,968	344	55	67	33	77	2	...	...
Furruckabad	1,329	412	12	41	94	204	39	...	...
Mynpoorie	1,128	358	5	45	21	4	29	2	...
Etawah	1,270	452	21	50	20	20	98	...	10
Cawnpore	1,741	1,139	44	78	29	...	104	1	12
Humeerpore	769	411	42	136	7	78	...	2	...
Futtehpore	606	270	11	41	6	47	131	...	1
Banda	866	333	17	142	27	107	197	...	41
Allahabad	2,842	872	42	204	145	99	67	3	40
Goruckpore	1,084	870	31	185	143	7	45	5	8
Bustee	477	529	9	58	15	4	...	...	2
Azimgurh	842	399	11	164	11	3	30	3	2
Jounpore	931	600	11	72	24	33	11	...	4
Mirzapore	1,750	801	38	61	84	126	22	9	5
Benares	2,382	891	231	103	31	84	18	11	10
Ghazeepore	1,247	431	23	81	94	127	41	5	33
Kumaon	437	97	7	34	17	48	14	2	...
Gurhwal	144	34	...	3	...	7	1	...	...
Jhansie	484	385	20	132	15	1	...	...	2
Jaloun	747	320	23	83	12	5	2	1	...
Lullutpore	139	381	...	44	3	...	...	...	...
Ajmere	1,923	470	82	378	...	...	...	1	...
Total ...	45,643	16,653	990	3,150	1,293	1,635	2,129	77	223

Statement showing the Degrees of Punishment inflicted by the several Magisterial

District.	Number of persons punished.				DETAIL Number of Fines.			
	Imprisoned and fined.	Imprisoned and flogged.	Fined and flogged.	Total persons punished.	Not exceeding Rs. 5.	Not exceeding Rs. 50.	Not exceeding Rs. 200.	Not exceeding Rs. 1,000.
Saharunpore	33	2	...	1,960	943	400	19	...
Moozuffernugger ...	21	...	...	1,119	497	309	7	...
Dehra Doon	6	...	...	779	507	41	6	2
Meerut	108	27	1	4,006	2,505	633	32	10
Boolundshuhur	119	9	...	3,483	1,976	788	14	1
Allygurh	26	6	...	2,726	1,663	417	20	1
Etah	50	7	...	2,281	1,335	328	3	2
Moradabad	216	25	...	2,514	1,003	526	45	3
Bijnour	172	10	...	1,247	526	291	32	1
Bareilly	172	14	1*	2,957	923	581	44	7
Budaon	127	13	...	1,650	586	453	18	...
Shahjehanpore	132	39	1	3,153	1,284	575	31	1
Agra	56	11	1	3,073	1,620	355	13	...
Muttra	82	34	...	2,662	1,590	427	27	6
Furruckabad	54	17	...	2,702	1,357	523	1	2
Mynpoorie	24	14	...	1,630	920	229	2	1
Etawah	73	17	...	2,031	1,027	301	14	1
Cawnpore	65	20	...	3,233	1,265	504	33	4
Humeerpore	81	7	...	1,533	703	142	...	...
Futtehpore	122	5	...	1,220	448	262	18	...
Banda	280	17	...	2,027	849	291	5	1
Allahabad	95	73	1	4,483	2,325	572	38	3
Goruckpore	67	15	...	2,460	644	489	17	1
Bustee	76	9	...	1,179	326	215	12	...
Azimgurh	68	13	...	1,541	636	261	8	...
Jounpore	40	3	...	1,732	604	329	39	2
Mirzapore	83	16	...	2,995	1,804	506	23	1
Benares	76	70	4	3,361	1,677	700	33	2
Ghazepore	63	13	...	2,158	921	364	24	1
Kumaon	30	1	...	687	308	144	15	...
Gurhwal	12	1	...	202	100	52	4	...
Jhansie	28	8	...	1,074	372	131	7	1
Jaloun	59	9	...	1,261	586	198	22	...
Lullutpore	38	2	...	607	121	52	4	...
Ajmere	276	9	...	3,139	1,723	450	26	...
Total ...	3,028	535	9	75,365	35,132	12,639	655	54

* 1 fined, imprisoned, and flogged.

Tribunals of the Districts in the North-Western Provinces during the year 1870.—(Contd.)

OF SENTENCES.

Persons.

Total number of fines.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid to injured parties by way of compensation or award	Imprisonment. Not exceeding 15 Days. Rigorous.	15 Days. Simple.	6 Months. Rigorous.	6 Months. Simple.	2 Years. Rigorous.	2 Years. Simple.
1,362	10,215	8,703	405	29	8	217	14	122	...
813	6,724	5,497	266	20	4	121	3	84	...
556	4,009	1,597	133	23	3	83	...	44	...
3,180	26,894	18,125	270	55	18	277	17	173	...
2,781	18,685	13,475	110	71	45	233	12	78	1
2,101	12,901	11,780	821	31	17	268	4	145	...
1,668	8,357	7,521	143	71	6	284	13	153	...
1,577	18,307	10,955	149	80	41	350	20	221	1
850	10,843	8,859	292	34	...	195	4	115	...
1,555	20,634	9,890	772	123	15	614	41	381	2
1,007	11,226	8,419	546	44	1	329	8	142	...
1,891	13,414	11,137	1,243	142	44	562	10	252	...
1,988	10,419	7,612	286	148	37	406	18	107	2
2,050	11,211	10,028	339	58	6	203	10	180	3
1,883	13,012	9,305	260	40	11	334	13	85	...
1,152	7,373	6,256	195	34	22	231	7	102	...
1,343	9,480	7,538	288	82	28	267	10	153	2
1,806	17,430	14,974	41	166	45	566	36	401	8
860	4,270	3,443	223	123	11	266	7	92	...
728	7,975	6,155	439	46	3	256	13	79	...
1,146	8,766	7,305	273	73	19	444	10	82	...
2,938	19,559	14,944	645	55	17	518	32	382	6
1,151	11,332	8,949	547	120	71	519	55	187	...
553	5,971	3 543	170	61	36	356	24	137	...
905	6,506	5,410	326	38	11	210	32	184	...
974	8,500	7,076	950	88	38	321	35	163	1
1,833	14,159	10,473	649	101	21	581	22	222	...
2,412	18,249	15,332	531	55	17	750	44	171	...
1,310	10,915	7,872	314	17	17	280	39	144	1
467	5,291	3,756	677	16	...	48	4	59	...
156	1,073	1,185	779	3	...	32	1	11	...
512	4,404	2,585	234	42	20	259	8	89	...
806	6,443	4,470	92	24	10	227	25	85	2
177	2,050	1,464	29	21	8	274	13	79	1
2,199	16,669	11,943	379	80	28	486	10	150	...
48,680	3,38,861	2,89,576	12,816	2,223	678	11,350	614	5,254	30

Statement showing the Degrees of Punishment inflicted by the several Magisterial Tribunals of the Districts in the North-Western Provinces during the year 1870.—(Concluded.)

District.	DETAIL OF SENTENCES.						Persons imprisoned in default of security
	Number of Persons.						
	Imprisonment.				*Flogging.*		
	Not exceeding						
	7 years.		*Total.*		Average number of stripes.	Highest number of stripes in any one case.	
	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.			
Saharunpore	...	...	368	22	15	30	13
Moozufferuugger	6	...	240	7	16	30	11
Dehra Doon	2	...	152	3	18	30	3
Meerut	...	...	505	35	19	30	20
Boolundshuhur	...	...	382	58	18	30	31
Allygurh	2	...	446	21	18	30	18
Etah	...	...	508	19	18	30	37
Moradabad	...	...	651	62	21	30	28
Bijnour	...	...	344	4	23	30	77
Bareilly	...	...	1,118	53	16	30	28
Budaon	...	...	515	9	17	30	18
Shahjehanpore	...	...	956	54	22	30	40
Agra	...	...	661	57	14	30	33
Muttra	...	...	441	19	15	30	7
Furruckabad	...	...	459	24	18	24	50
Mynpoory	...	...	367	29	17	30	20
Etawah	...	...	502	40	19	30	9
Cawnpore	2	...	1,135	89	18	30	20
Humeerpore	...	...	481	18	17	30	7
Futtehpore	...	...	381	16	16	30	6
Banda	2	...	601	29	18	30	19
Allahabad	...	...	985	55	22	30	145
Gorucknore	...	...	826	126	16	30	123
Bustee	...	...	554	60	21	30	7
Azimgurh	...	...	432	43	23	30	6
Jounpore	...	...	573	74	13	30	22
Mirzapore	...	...	857	43	11	30	80
Benares	...	...	976	61	14	30	24
Ghazeepore	9	...	450	57	20	30	71
Kumaon	1	...	124	4	19	30	6
Gurhwal	...	...	46	1	24	30	...
Jhansie	3	...	393	28	13	30	13
Jaloun	15	...	351	37	17	30	7
Lullutpore	25	...	399	22	11	25	3
Ajmere	1	...	717	38	15	30	28
Total ...	68	...	18,895	1,322	17	30	1,019

Statement showing the Number of Witnesses who attended the Magistrate's Courts, and the period of their detention.

District.	Number of Witnesses who attended.	Number of Witnesses detained			Percentage of Witnesses detained		
		Above 1 day.	Above 3 days.	Above 7 days.	Above 1 day.	Above 3 days.	Above 7 days.
Saharunpore	5,931	184	3	...	3	...	...
Moozuffernuggur	5,234	161	...	...	3	...	...
Dehra Doon	1,783	8	...	...	...	...	...
Meerut	9,751	183	8	...	1	...	...
Boolundshuhur	6,053	136	4	...	2	...	...
Allygurh	11,169	38	...	...	...	...	...
Etah	5,731	165	...	...	2	...	...
Moradabad	11,645	1,198	142	5	10	1	...
Bijnour	5,509	136	2	...	2	...	...
Bareilly	13,367	85	...	...	...	...	...
Budaon	11,339	139	...	...	1	...	...
Shahjehanpore	9,114	235	...	...	2	...	...
Agra	12,948	420	13	...	3	...	...
Muttra	6,625	606	68	...	9	1	...
Furruckabad	9,548	190	3	...	1	...	...
Mynpoorie	5,605	69	...	...	1	...	...
Etawah	6,825	53	4	...	...	...	...
Cawnpore	9,309	255	...	...	3	...	...
Humeerpore	4,691	522	2	...	11	...	...
Futtehpore	5,078	305	3	...	6	...	...
Banda	7,605	415	128	14	5	2	...
Allahabad	9,527	444	19	...	4	...	...
Goruckpore	9,237	715	32	...	8	...	...
Bustee	4,618	391	32	...	8	...	...
Azimgurh	7,022	327	...	...	4	...	...
Jounpore	8,083	764	48	...	9	...	...
Mirzapore	13,466	933	96	...	6	...	...
Benares	13,376	694	24	...	5	...	...
Ghazeepore	8,943	1,344	33	...	15	...	...
Kumaon	1,504	29	...	...	2	...	...
Gurhwal	744	67	...	...	9	...	...
Jhansie	4,629	179	14	...	4	...	...
Jaloun	4,470	276	27	...	6	...	...
Lullutpore	2,269	177	115	...	8	5	...
Ajmere	3,692	13	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	2,56,700	11,851	840	19	5	...	...

Statement showing the Results of the Appeals from the Orders of the Assistants preferred to the Magistrate of the District during the year 1870.

Name and Designation of Magistrate.	Number of Appellants.	Number of Persons.				
		Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences reversed or modified.	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending.
Saharunpore	98	8	73	14	...	3
Moozuffernuggur	44	...	28	16	...	...
Dehra Doon	20	...	13	6	1	...
Meerut	171	...	113	53	5	...
Boolundshuhur	93*	...	74	16	...	...
Allygurh	179	13	108	54	1	3
Etah	139	5	110	24	...	...
Moradabad	63	...	49	14	...	...
Bijnour	58	...	44	10	2	2
Bareilly	57	...	43	14	...	...
Budaon	11	...	6	5	...	...
Shahjehanpore	22	1	11	10	...	...
Agra	217	23	128	60	6	...
Muttra	117	...	83	34	...	...
Furruckabad	127	3	80	44	...	...
Mynpoorie	27	...	26	1	...	...
Etawah	32	2	19	11	...	...
Cawnpore	59	...	34	25	...	...
Humeerpore	24	3	9	12	...	...
Futtehpore	79	3	48	28	...	...
Banda	21	1	3	17	...	...
Allahabad	64	1	38	25	...	...
Goruckpore	154	2	104	33	15	...
Bustee	147	16	96	33	2	...
Azimgurh	122	2	75	34	5	6
Jounpore	117	1	42	51	1	22
Mirzapore	99	8	67	18	5	1
Benares	56	...	43	6	2	5
Ghazeepore	98	...	63	35	...	...
Kumaon	33	7	18	7	...	1
Gurhwal	49	7	29	12	1	...
Jhansie	23	7	8	8	...	...
Jaloun	73	6	34	33	...	...
Lullutpore	2	...	2	...	...	...
Ajmere	12	...	9	3	...	...
Total ...	2,707	119	1,730	766	46	43

* Three cases of three persons struck off in default.

Statement showing the Average Number of Days during which each Case lasted in the Courts of the Magistrates of the Districts and their Subordinates during the year 1869 and 1870.

District.	Average duration of Cases in the Magisterial Courts.					
	For the year 1869.			*For the year 1870.*		
	Year.	Month.	Days.	Year.	Month.	Days.
Saharunpore	...	...	6	...	...	8
Moozuffernuggur	...	...	7	...	...	9
Dehra Doon	...	...	6	...	...	6
Meerut	...	...	5	...	...	6
Boolundshuhur	...	...	8	...	...	8
Allygurh...	...	...	10	...	...	10
Etah	...	...	12	...	...	9
Moradabad	...	...	11	...	...	10
Bijnour	...	...	8	...	...	12
Bareilly	...	...	7	...	...	5
Budaon	...	...	9	...	...	9
Shahjehanpore	...	...	6	...	...	7
Agra	...	...	7	...	...	8
Muttra	...	...	7	...	...	8
Furruckabad	..	...	10	...	...	9
Mynpoorie...	...	...	7	...	...	7
Etawah	...	...	7	...	...	6
Cawnpore	...	...	6	...	...	6
Humeerpore	...	...	9	...	...	7
Futtehpore	...	...	7	...	...	6
Banda	...	...	8	...	...	8
Allahabad	...	...	8	...	...	7
Goruckpore	...	...	14	...	...	12
Bustee	...	...	11	...	...	10
Azimgurh	...	...	7	...	...	9
Jounpore	...	...	8	...	...	9
Mirzapore	...	...	10	...	...	13
Benares	...	...	4	...	...	4
Ghazeepore	...	...	13	...	...	12
Kumaon	...	...	11	...	...	9
Gurhwal	...	...	23	...	...	16
Jhansie	...	...	9	...	...	9
Jaloun	...	...	9	...	...	11
Lullutpore...	...	...	7	...	...	7
Ajmere	...	...	7		...	4
Average duration ...	...	...	9	...	...	8

Statement showing the Detailed Result of Appeals to the Sessions Court during the year 1870.

District.	Number of Appellants.	Number of Persons.					Remarks.
		Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences reversed or modified.	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending.	
Saharunpore ...	90	13	50	27	...	...	
Moozuffernuggur ...	72	5	47	20	...	...	
Dehra Doon ...	15	3	6	5	...	1	
Meerut	130	5	85	37	...	3	
Boolandshuhur ...	122	4	66	45	6	1	
Allygurh	212	57	87	47	2	19	
Etah	160	3	92	64	...	1	
Moradabad ...	190	3	105	60	...	22	
Bijnour	66	4	32	16	...	14	
Bareilly	186	6	85	83	4	8	
Budaon	22	2	12	5	1	2	
Shahjehanpore ...	243	55	142	29	10	7	
Agra	148	26	61	61	...	...	
Muttra	271	74*	78	116	3	...	
Furruckabad ...	115	10	65	37	1	2	
Mynpoorie	65	...	41	24	...	...	
Etawah	113	...	93	17	...	3	
Cawnpore	167	3	120	42	...	2	
Humeerpore ...	35	...	30	5	...	...	
Futtehpore... ...	117*	27	76	11	2	...	* 1 Appellant transferred to Sessions Court, Allahabad.
Banda	81	13	53	15	...	...	
Allahabad	152	38	95	15	1	3	
Goruckpore ...	120	17	56	42	...	5	
Bustee	51	3	14	29	...	5	
Azimgurh	92	24	22	44	...	2	
Jounpore	81	20	23	29	...	9	
Mirzapore	121	69	25	27	...	...	
Benares	201	11	143	39	...	8	
Ghazeepore ...	75	...	64	7	...	4	
Kumaon	132	46	51	25	7	3	
Gurhwal	39	21	10	7	...	1	
Jhansie	34	3	22	7	1	1	
Jaloun	89	21	48	19	...	1	
Lullutpore	96	9	71	12	4	...	
Ajmere	33	6	21	6	...	...	
Total ...	3,936	601	2,091	1,074	42	127	

Statement of the Detailed Results of Commitments to the Sessions Court during the year 1870.—(*11. Commitments.*)

District.	Number of persons committed, including those pending trial at the end of the last year.	Persons disposed of.		Persons remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.	Percentage of persons convicted to total number disposed of.
		Convicted, including those whose sentences were referred for confirmation to the High Court.	Acquitted.		
Saharunpore	58A	44	3	4	94
Moozuffernugger	64B	49	12	2	80
Dehra Doon...	8	8	...	...	100
Meerut	86	61	25	...	71
Boolundshuhur	58	44	14	...	76
Allygurh	71	48	14	9	77
Etah	82	48	33	1	59
Moradabad	185C	110	44	28	71
Bijnour	82	42	17	23	71
Bareilly	140	79	46	15	63
Budaon	41	29	10	2	74
Shahjehanpore	161D	119	11	7	92
Agra	106	72	33	1	68
Muttra	94	65	29	...	69
Furruckabad	106	68	32	6	68
Mynpoorie	50	28	21	1	57
Etawah	35	27	7	1	79
Cawnpore	162E	127	22	1	85
Humeerpore	67F	51	9	5	85
Futtehpore	76	55	11	10	83
Banda	179G	120	53	2	69
Allahabad	115	79	26	10	75
Goruckpore	158	89	26	43	77
Bustee	94	45	40	9	53
Azimgurh	33	5	26	2	16
Jounpore	71	45	25	1	64
Mirzapore	199	142	26	31	84
Benares	123	88	27	8	76
Ghazeepore...	149	100	49	...	67
Kumaon	25	15	9	1	62
Gurhwal	7	5	2	...	71
Jhansie	18H	3	...	14	100
Jaloun	7	7	...	...	100
Lullutpore	7I	5	...	...	100
Ajmere	48	37	11	...	77
Total ...	2,960	1,959	713	237	73

A 2 escaped.

B 1 died.

C 3 persons were committed in two cases by the Magistrate, and were considered as 6 persons and 2 cases; while in the Sessions Court they were treated with as 3 persons and one case, hence the "remaining undisposed at the end of the year" shows 28 instead of 31 persons.

D 24 transferred.

E 12 withdrawn by prosecutors.

F 2 died.

G 4 died.

H 1 died.

I 1 died and 1 transferred.

Statement showing the Amount of Business disposed of by the Sessions Judges during the year 1870.

Zillah.	Name of Sessions Judges	Commitments. Number of Persons. Committed for trial pending trial at the end of last year	Convicted and sentenced.	Sentenced to death, referred for confirmation	Acquitted	Remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.	Appeals. Number of Persons. Number of appellants.	Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences modified.	Sentences reversed.	Remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.
Saharunpore	Mr. H G Keene	35	22	.	13	..	37	4	18	9	6	...
	„ M B Thornhill	90A	78	1	2	6	140	17	85	10	27	1
Meerut	„ G D Turnbull	30	23	..	7	...	70	8	35	10	14	4
	„ W G. Probyn	114	79	3	32	...	184	1	116	3	56	
Allygurh	„ W J Bramly	89	60	3	16	10	274	58	134	31	31	20
	„ R C Oldfield	49	20	...	29	...	82	2	36	24	21	...
	„ A Ross	15	13	...	2	...	16	...	10	5	1	...
Moradabad	„ W. J. R Carnac	267B	130	4	27	51	256	6	64	16	32	36
	„ G. Palmer		17	1	34			1	73	3	35	
Bareilly	„ H Vansittart	181	101	7	56	17	208	8	97	23	70	10
Shahjehanpore	„ F Thompson	10	6	1	3	...	21	8	11	1	1	7
	„ H. B Henderson	151C	103	9	8	7	222	47	131	16	21	
Agra	„ J. B Ironside	200	119	18	62	1	419	100	189	21	158	3D
Furruckabad	„ J H Prinsep	106	60	8	32	6	115	10	65	14	24	2
Mynpoorie	„ A R [illegible]	9	6	...	3	...	3	...	38	4	1	...
	„ R. C. Oldfield	76	47	2	25	2	135	...	96	20	16	3
Cawnpore	„ G E Lance	229F	173	5	31	6	202	3	150	13	34	2
Futtehpore	„ W C Turner	255F	65	...	20	...	199H	22	53	9	2	...
	„ H G. Keene		103	7	44	12		18	76	2	15	...
Allahabad	„ J W Sherer	115	77	2	26	10	152	38	95	15	1	3
Goruckpore	„ W G Probyn	107	80	...	19	51 I	54	3	21	4	19	10
	„ W R Benson	151	47	5	48		117	17	43	6	42	
Azimgurh	„ R C Oldfield	3	1	...	2	...	39	18	4	6	11	...
	„ S N Martin	30	4	...	24	2	53	6	18	...	27	2
Jounpore	„ R M Edwards	71	43	2	25	1	81	20	23	3	26	9
Mirzapore	„ J. W Power	199	136	6	26	31	121	69	25	...	27	...
Benares	„ M Brodhurst	110	80	3	19	8	171	8	119	22	14	8
	„ H. B Henderson	18	4	1	8	...	30	3	24	1	2	...
Ghazeepore	„ H Lushington	149	93	7	49	...	75	...	64	2	5	4
Kumaon	„ Col H Ramsay	32	14	6	11	1	171	67	61	2	37	4
Ajmere	„ R H Keating	5	1	...	4	...	33	6	21	2	4	...
	Capt H M. Repton	43	36	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jhansie	Mr. G H M Ricketts, C. B	32G	12	2	...	...	204	33	131	9	31	...
	„ R. M Edwards	...	1	...	...	14	15	...	10	1	2	2
	Total	2,966	1,863	103	713	236	3,936	601	2,091	312	801	130

A 2 escaped and 1 died.
B 3—see note, preceding page, marked E
C 24 transferred
E 2 died and 12 withdrawn by the prosecutors.
F 4 died
G 1 transferred and 2 died.
D 3 returned for further investigation.
H 1 transferred.
I 2 died.

Statement showing Degrees of Punishment inflicted by the Sessions Judges during the year 1870.

Districts.	Number of Persons										Total persons punished.	Detail of Sentences.																								
	Flogged.											*Number of Persons.*																								
												Imprisonment, Penal Servitude.																						Flogging.	
	Fined.	Imprisoned.	Adults.	Juvenile.	Ordered to find security for good behaviour.	Ordered to find security to keep the peace.	Ordered to enter into recognizance.	Ordered to maintain wife and children.	Ordered to refrain from taking possession of land and water.	Imprisoned and fined.		Not exceeding Rs. 200.	Not exceeding Rs. 1,000.	Exceeding Rs. 1,000.	Total number of fines.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid to injured parties by way of compensation or amend.	Not exceeding 2 years.		Not exceeding 7 years.		Exceeding 7 years.		Total.		Transportation.		Sentenced in addition to imprisonment.		Average number of stripes.	Highest number of stripes.
										Imprisoned and flogged.	Fined and flogged.	Sentenced to death.							Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	For terms.	For Life.	Solitary confinement.	Forfeiture of property.		
																Rs.	Rs.	Rs.																		
Saharunpore ...	..	90	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	1	101	5	5	...	10	859	250	...	38	10	33	...	5	...	76	10	1	13	...	...	...	...		
Meerut ...	...	87	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	14	1	3	105	14	...	...	14	518	321	21	41	...	55	...	1	...	97	...	...	5	...	...	30	30		
Allygurh ...	1	40	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	18	...	3	63	19	...	...	19	1,500	100	...	29	...	27	...	...	...	56	...	...	2	...	...	20	20		
Moradabad...	3	102	1	..	...	...	...	...	...	29	...	4	139	23	1	1	32	6,635	1,060	...	89	4	34	...	..	...	114	4	...	13	...	...	15	15		
Bareilly ...	2	69	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	30	...	7	108	30	1	1	32	3,410	1,529	...	14	4	45	...	9	...	68	4	...	27	...	...	...	...		
Shajehanpore	5	98	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	11	120	13	...	...	14	1,300	703	1,050	36	1	37	...	5	...	78	1	...	23	...	...	30	30		
Agra ...	3	112	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	18	137	5	...	...	5	510	450	...	35	...	53	...	11	...	99	...	...	17	...	...	30	30		
Furruckabad ...		54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	8	68	5	1	...	6	1,350	21	...	14	...	43	...	1	...	58	...	...	2	...	...	...	...		
Mynpoorie ...		53	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	58	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	...	24	...	5	...	45	...	...	8	...	...	...	...		
Cawnpore ...	5	98	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	65	...	5	178	69	1	...	70	4,215	2,778	1,060	48	2	74	...	22	...	144	2	...	16	..	1	30	30		
Futtehpore...	1	119	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	48	...	7	175	49	...	...	49	1,886	154	...	67	15	60	...	4	...	131	15	...	21	...	...	...	...		
Allahabad ...	...	69	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	2	79	8	...	...	...	400	280	...	35	1	1	...	21	...	57	1	...	19	...	...	...	...		
Gorucknore ...		135	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	136	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	65	2	55	...	5	...	125	2	...	8	...	...	...	...		
Azimgurh ...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	3	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Jounpore ...	...	28	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	3	46	15	...	...	15	1,140	453	...	8	3	29	...	1	...	38	3	...	2	...	...	...	...		
Mirzapore ...	...	114	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	...	4	145	21	1	...	22	1,735	825	50	49	...	71	...	6	...	126	...	2	8	...	...	...	...		
Benares ...	...	72	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	7	89	10	...	...	10	265	105	95	25	...	49	...	6	...	80	...	...	2	...	...	22	25		
Ghazeepore	2	89	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	5	100	4	...	...	4	150	...	...	16	1	69	...	4	...	89	1	...	1	...	...	...	...		
Kumaon ...	3	10	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	18	3	...	...	3	200	200	...	2	...	6	...	1	...	9	...	...	1	...	...	...	...		
Jhansie ...	...	12	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	2	...	2	...	10	...	...	2	...	...	30	30		
Ajmere ...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...		
Total ...	25	1452	3	9	...	...	...	...	...	288	3	105	1,885	293	18	2	313	26,093	9,229	2,276	626	43	770	...	109	...	1,505	43	3	191	...	1	26	30		

Statement showing the Particulars of Trials held by the Sessions Judges with the aid of Assessors during the year 1870.

Name of District.	Average Number of Assessors in each Case.	Number of Cases tried with Assessors.	Number of Persons of Class employed as Assessors.							Number of Cases in which Judge agreed with Assessors.	Number of Cases in which Judge differed from Assessors.	Number of persons fined for non-attendance.	Amount of fines imposed.	Remarks.
			Pleaders.	Bankers or Traders.	Engaged in Service.	Agriculturists.	Land-holders.	Other Classes.	Total.					
Saharunpore ...	3	23	...	39	1	...	29	...	69	20	3	...	...	
Moozuffernugger ...	3	29	...	17	7	...	63	...	87	28	1	...	...	
Dehra Doon ...	3	8	...	15	7	...	2	...	24	8	...	...	...	
Meerut	3	37	...	19	35	...	35	22	111	33	4	...	...	
Boolundshuhur ...	3	26	...	16	25	...	29	8	78	19	7	...	...	
Allygurh	3	39	...	40	...	...	44	15	99	38	1	...	...	
Etah	2	13	...	15	...	...	5	9	29	12	1	...	...	
Moradabad ...	3	73	...	72	16	...	128	...	216	64	9	...	...	
Bijnour	3	27	...	9	3	...	66	...	78	21	6	1	100	
Bareilly	3	60	...	8	10	...	39	15	72	56	4	...	...	
Budaon	3	18	...	2	1	...	14	3	20	16	2	...	...	
Shahjehanpore ...	3	66	...	33	19	...	141	4	197	59	7	4	41	
Agra	3	45	46	63	3	...	17	1	130	41	4	...	...	
Muttra	3	36	34	52	3	5	6	4	104	33	3	...	...	
Furruckabad ...	3	60	...	12	15	...	23	130	180	47	13	...	...	
Mynpoorie ...	3	27	5	1	...	...	75	...	81	24	3	...	...	
Etawah	3	30	2	27	5	...	56	...	90	29	1	...	...	
Cawnpore ...	3	61	36	42	19	...	45	34	183	56	5	...	...	
Humeerpore ...	3	19	...	15	...	18	24	...	57	19	...	...	...	
Futtehpore ...	3	30	...	5	...	35	...	50	90	24	6	3	25	
Banda	3	66	...	8	...	70	110	10	198	56	10	...	...	
Allahabad ...	3	50	...	59	25	...	42	27	153	45	5	...	...	
Goruckpore ...	2	41	3	39	11	1	50	13	117	38	3	3	31	
Bustee	2	29	...	22	6	...	49	7	84	22	7	...	...	
Azimgurh ...	3	18	7	...	1	...	46	...	54	18	...	...	...	
Jounpore ...	3	40	...	17	...	1	99	3	120	30	10	1	20	
Mirzapore ...	3	90	...	252	...	126	63	...	441	86	4	3	75	
Benares	3	52	5	84	19	...	40	7	155	49	3	...	...	
Ghazeepore ...	2	65	2	26	...	2	87	2	119	52	13	5	145	
Kumaon	3	20	...	12	11	3	30	4	60	16	4	...	...	
Gurhwal	3	7	...	7	6	1	7	...	21	6	1	...	...	
Jhansie	3	3	2	3	...	1	1	2	9	3	...	...	...	
Jaloun	3	4	...	1	...	...	7	4	12	3	1	...	...	
Lullutpore ...	3	3	...	9	...	...	...	...	9	3	...	...	...	
Ajmere	3	14	...	20	2	2	12	11	47	14	...	...	...	
Total ...	3	1,229	142	1,068	250	265	1,484	385	3,594	1,088	141	20	437	

Statement shewing the Average Number of Days during which each Trial and Appeal lasted in the Court of the Sessions Judge during the year 1870.

District.	Trial of Committed Cases.		Appeals.	
	Number of trials disposed of during the year 1870.	Average number of days during which each trial lasted.	Number of appeals disposed of during the year 1870.	Average number of days during which each appeal lasted.
Saharunpore				
Moosuffernugger	60	32	117	17
Dehra Doon				
Meerut	37	24	91	8
Boolundshuhur	26	48	77	18
Allygurh	39	6	135	13
Etah	14	14	32	16
Moradabad	91	38	114	28
Bijnour	36	45	28	32
Bareilly	60	40	178	39
Budaon	18	68	20	33
Shahjehanpore	70	8	150	8
Agra	45	18	93	11
Muttra	36	38	139	12
Furruckabad	60	25	79	10
Mynpoorie	31	46	79	13
Etawah				
Cawnpore	37	14	123	9
Humeerpore	23	51	22	18
Futtehpore	30	1	46	15
Banda	66	3	36	16
Allahabad	50	10	83	6
Goruckpore	41	40	69	25
Bustee	23	105	29	21
Azimgurh	18	31	49	9
Jounpore	43	14	43	7
Mirzapore	90	34	83	17
Benares	59	3	137	7
Ghazeepore	76	37	45	33
Kumaon	20	10	89	19
Gurhwal	7	11	24	20
Jhansie	4	50	28	20
Jaloun...	4	33	49	4
Lullutpore	4	79	70	4
Ajmere	3	192	27	14
Total ...	1,271	36	2,384	16

1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.
		Number of Persons whose Cases were disposed of by this Court.										
		Old Law.					*New Law.*					
Zillah.	Name of Sessions Judges.	Number of persons whose cases were referred to this Court.	Number of persons whose sentences passed agreed with Sessions Judge's recommendation.	Number of persons in which it differed.	Number of persons acquitted by this Court.	Total.	Number of persons sentenced to death referred to this Court for confirmation.	Number of persons in which sentences of death was passed by Sessions Judges and confirmed by this Court.	Number of persons in which it was modified.	Number of persons acquitted by this Court.	Total.	Grand Total.
Shahjehanpore ...	Mr. F. Thompson ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1
	„ H. B. Henderson,	...	...	...	...	...	10	8	1	1	10	10
Saharunpore ...	„ M. B. Thornhill...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1
	„ H. G. Keene ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Meerut ...	„ G. D. Turnbull...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	„ W. G. Probyn ...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	3	3
Allygurh ...	„ W. J. Bramly ...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	3	3
Moradabad ...	„ G. Palmer ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	„ W. J. Carnac ...	...	...	...	...	...	4	3	...	1	4	4
Bareilly ...	„ H. Vansittart ...	...	...	...	...	...	7	5	2	...	7	7
Agra ...	„ J. B. Ironside ...	3	3	...	...	3	18	17	1	...	18	21
Furruckabad ...	„ J. H. Prinsep ...	...	...	...	...	...	8	6	2	...	8	8
Mynpoorie ...	„ A. Ross ...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	3	3
	„ R. C. Oldfield ...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	2	2
Cawnpore ...	„ G. P. Lance ...	1	1	...	...	1	5	5	...	...	5	6
Futtehpore ...	„ H. G. Keene ...	...	...	...	...	...	7	5	2	...	7	7
	„ W. C. Turner ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Allahabad ...	„ G. H. M. Ricketts	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	„ J. W. Sherer ...	2	2	...	...	2	2	2	...	...	2	4
Benares ...	„ M. Brodhurst ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	21
	„ H. B. Henderson,	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	2	
Goruckpore ...	„ W. G. Probyn ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	„ W. R. Benson ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1
Azimgurh ...	„ R. C. Oldfield ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	„ S. N. Martin ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jounpore ...	„ R. M. Edwards...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	1	...	3	3
Mirzapore ...	„ J. W. Power ...	...	...	...	...	...	9	5	4	...	9	9
Ghazeepore ...	„ H. Lushington ...	...	...	...	...	...	7	6	...	1	7	7
Kumaon ...	Col. H. Ramsay ...	...	...	...	...	...	5	4	1	...	5	5
Ajmere ...	Lt.-Col. Keating ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Col. J. H. Brook ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Capt. H. M. Repton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jhansie ...	Lt.-Col. B. P. Lloyd	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mr. G. H. M. Ricketts	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	2	2
	Lt.-Col. A. H. Ternan	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mr. G. L. Lang ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Lt.-Col. J. Davidson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	„ A. Davidson ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Mr. W. J. Greenwood	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total ...	6	6	...	...	6	105	88	14	3	105	11

1.	2.	14.	15.	16.	17.	18.	19.	20.	21.	22.	23.	
Zillah.	Name of Sessions Judges	Number in which order was confirmed.	Number modified or remanded.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Number confirmed.	Number modified	Number acquitted.	Total.	Percentage of Columns 4 and 9 to Columns 3 and 8.	Percentage of Columns 14 and 18 to total of Columns 17 and 21	Remarks.
		Number of persons whose cases were appealed or called for on perusal of Monthly Statement.				Number of persons whose cases were submitted under Sections 34 and 434, and called for under Section 401, Act XXV of 1861.						
Shahjehanpore ...	Mr. F. Thompson ...	...	...	..	...	6	...	.	6	100	100	
	„ H. B Henderson,	11	3	1	15	2	1	...	3	80	72	
Saharunpore ...	„ M B. Thornhill,	23	13	1	37	6	1	1	8	100	64	
	„ H. G. Keene ...	17	3	...	20	2	9	...	11	...	81	
Meerut ...	„ G D. Turnbull...	8	...	2	10	15	...	...	15	...	92	
	„ W. G. Probyn ...	25	1	3	29	25	5	...	30	100	85	
Allygurh ...	„ W. J. Bramly ...	23	1	8	32	6	11	1	18	100	58	
Moradabad ...	„ G Palmer ...	4	1	...	5	2	9	...	11	...	37	
	„ W. J. Carnac ...	21	2	4	27	10	...	...	10	75	84	
Bareilly ...	„ H. Vansittart ...	19	16	15	50	19	3	3	25	71	50	
Agra ...	„ J. B. Ironside ...	41	7	9	57	85	17	...	102	95	79	
Furruckabad ...	„ J. H Prinsep ...	26	1	2	29	2	1	...	3	75	96	
Mynpoorie ...	„ A. Ross ...	17	10	3	30	2	1	...	3	10	57	
	„ R. C. Oldfield ...	23	1	1	25	40	1	1	42	100	94	
Cawnpore ...	„ G. P Lance ...	31	11	3	45	15	1	1	17	100	74	
Futtehpore ...	„ H. C Keene ...	27	8	4	39	13	5	...	18	71	70	
	„ W. C. Turner ...	18	3	4	25	...	1	1	2	...	66	
Allahabad ...	„ G. H. M. Ricketts	1	...	1	2	2	...	...	2	...	75	
	„ J. W. Sherer ...	6	4	2	12	18	3	...	21	100	73	
Benares ...	„ M Brodhurst ...	13	3	..	16	7	3	2	12	100	71	
	„ H. B. Henderson	20	10	...	30	1	...	...	1	100	68	
Goruckpore ...	„ W. G. Probyn ...	14	15	2	31	5	...	1	6	...	51	
	„ W R. Benson ...	3	...	1	4	8	...	...	8	100	92	
Azimgurh ...	„ R. C. Oldfield ...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	100	
	„ S. N. Martin ...	1	...	1	2	9	7	...	16	...	55	
Jounpore ...	„ R. M. Edwards ...	6	...	...	6	4	...	...	4	66	100	
Mirzapore ...	„ J. W. Power ...	41	23	11	75	16	15	1	32	55	53	
Ghazeepore ...	„ H. Lushington ...	16	6	4	26	8	4	...	12	86	63	
Kumaon ...	Col. H. Ramsay ...	1	...	...	1	...	2	2	4	80	20	
Ajmere ...	Capt Keating ...	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	100	
	Lt Col J. H Brook	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	4	...	25	
	Capt. H. M Repton...	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Jhansie ...	Lt.-Col. B P. Lloyd	2	...	...	2	...	..	...	...	...	100	
	Mr G H. M. Ricketts	...	...	..	...	6	2	1	9	100	66	
	Lt.-Col A. H. Ternan	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	100	
	Mr. G. L Lang ...	3	...	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	75	
	Lt.-Col. J. Davidson	22	3	...	25	...	..	...	...	...	88	
	„ A Davidson ...	6	1	...	7	2	...	...	2	...	88	
	Mr. W. G. Greenwood	1	...	...	1	...	...	..	...	...	100	
	Total ...	495	149	83	727	337	103	17	457	85	70	

Statement of Business disposed of in the High Court of Judicature, at Allahabad, in the year 1870.—(Original Side.)

	Suits, &c.			Before.					
	Remaining from the year 1869.	Filed in the year 1870.	Disposed of on merits.	One Civilian Judge.	One Barrister Judge.	One Barrister and one Civilian Judge.	One Barrister & two Civilian Judges.	Otherwise disposed.	Days of sitting.
					Cases.				
Criminal Trials	...	23	23	...	23	...	...	...	10 Days.

Statement showing the Nature of the Penalties inflicted under the Judgment of the High Court.

Penalties.	1870.	1869.
Death	88	71
Transportation for life	16	27
Ditto above 7 years and not exceeding 14 years	3	1
Imprisonment for life...	...	...
Ditto above 12 and not exceeding 21 years	...	2
Ditto above 5 and not exceeding 10 years	47	28
Ditto not exceeding 5 years	116	164
The average duration of cases in the High Court was 14 days	...	...

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. II. (CRIMINAL.)

Statement of Offences reported, and Persons tried, convicted, and acquitted for each Offence in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1870.

	Section	Number of offences reported during the year	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
Offences against the State, the Public and Justice							
Waging war against the Queen	121	...	...	...	..	...	
Collecting arms or concealing attempt to wage war	122 and 123	...	...	...	...	...	
War or depredation on allied powers	125—127	...	...	...	...	...	
Abetment of mutiny	131 and 132	...	...	...	...	.	
RELATING TO COIN STAMPS, WEIGHTS, AND MEASURES.							
Counterfeiting coin	231—238	17	38	19	14	5	
Diminishing or altering coin	246—249						
Passing or possessing bad or altered coin	239—243, 250—254	...	...	...	...	...	
Counterfeiting stamp or selling same		121	126	50	70	6	
Using as genuine counterfeit stamp or effacing or altering same	255—259	...	...	...	...	...	
Making, using, or possessing false weights or measures	260—263	4	9	8	1	...	
AGAINST PUBLIC JUSTICE.	264—267	214	309	90	210	...	
Personating public servant or soldier	140, 170, 171	34	42	17	24	...	1 Transferred.
Concealing design to commit offence	118—120	3	3	1	2	...	
Omitting to give information of offence or giving false information	176 and 177, 181 and 182, 202 and 203	664	1,037	328	705	4	
Causing disappearance of evidence...	201—204	34	66	26	39	1	
Resisting, obstructing, or omitting to assist Public servant ...	183—187, 189 and 190	325	799	259	529	11	
Disobedience of lawful order causing injury	188	690	2673	397	2272	4	
Intentional insult or interruption in Judicial Proceeding	228	276	312	11	301	...	
Harbouring an offender	212—216	15	24	14	13	1	
Taking gift to screen offender	213—215	124	259	140	116	3	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. II. (CRIMINAL).—(*Continued.*)

Statement of Offences reported, and Persons tried, convicted, and acquitted for each Offence in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1870.

		Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under-trial during the year	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Remaining under-trial	Remarks.
Resistance to lawful apprehension and rescue	224 and 225	164	296	70	214	5	6 Transferred and 1 escaped
Escape from lawful custody or transportation	224—226	60	100	24	73	...	3 Ditto
Absconding from avoiding or disobeying sommons or notice or order to attend or produce or refusing to answer or sign	172—175 178—180	427	833	134	697	2	
Failure to attend as juror or assessor	C. P. C. 354	1	4	1	3	...	
By Public Servants.							
Taking a gratification for the exercise of personal influence with a public servant,	163	1	1	1	...	...	
Taking valuable thing by or to influence public servant	161—165	188	255	149	104	2	
Public servant acting illegally to injure any person	166 and 167	19	26	13	13	.	
Public servant unlawfully trading	168 and 169	...	...	...	...	...	
Public servant fraudulently defeating punishment or forfeiture	217 and 218	10	13	6	7	...	
Public servant wilfully making order or decision contrary to law	219 and 220	...	...	...	...	...	
Ditto ditto intentionally omitting to apprehend or permitting to escape ...	221 and 222	10	18	2	16	...	
Public servant negligently suffering escape	129—223	34	55	17	37	1	
Breach of Police Act by Police Officers	...	139	322	53	269	...	
False evidence, False complaint, or claims and Forgery.							
Giving false evidence	193—196	225	428	132	292	2	1 Died and 1 transferred.
Fabricating false evidence	193—196	21	31	12	19	...	
Making, issuing, or using false statement or certificate	197—200	11	14	8	6	...	
False personation in Judicial Proceeding	205—229	18	29	3	26	...	
Fraudulent claim to, or concealment of property or suffering of decree ...	206—208 421—424	17	28	7	20	1	
False claim in Court of Justice	209 and 210	11	20	13	6	1	
False charge of offence	211	212	278	114	152	11	1 Escaped.
Frivolous or vexatious complaint	270 C. P.	325	377	6	371	...	

Forgery or fraudulently using or possessing forged document	465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 471, 473—477	109	209	101	86	21	1 Died.
Making or using false trade marks	482—489	2	3	...	3	...	
PUBLIC NUISANCES.							
Public nuisances under Penal Code	269—294	530	1421	228	1191	1	1 Died
Nuisances under Police or Municipal and Local Act.	...	3604	8512	798	7696	10	8 Transferred.
RELATING TO THE PUBLIC PEACE.							
Rioting or unlawful assembly	143—153, 157 and 158	273	1779	501	1253	24	Transferred.
Omitting to inform or prevent riot	154—156	2	3	...	3	...	
Affray	160	296	1556	277	1275	4	
Offences relating to religion	295—298	28	83	50	32	1	
OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON.							
Murder by Thugs	302 and 303	...	...	...	...	...	
Ditto by Dacoits		3	23	10	12	1	
Ditto by Robbers		25	49	13	33	2	1 Transferred.
Ditto by poison ... ... For sake of robbery		12	16	6	9	...	1 Ditto.
Ditto by poison ... ... From other motives		10	27	12	7	8	
Other murders ... ... From motives connected with woman ...		76	132	27	98	7	2 Ditto.
Other murders ... ... From other motives, ...		213	498	150	318	22	8 Ditto.
Murder during the mutiny, Section 25, Act VII. of 1803	...	2	2	2	...	...	
Attempt to murder	307	59	73	24	44	4	1 Ditto.
Culpable homicide	304—308	215	560	186	335	31	8 Ditto.
Abetment of suicide	305 and 306	2	3	..	3	...	
Attempt to commit suicide	309	876	567	193	365	3	5 Died and 1 escaped.
Causing miscarriage	312—316	24	44	22	21	1	
Exposure of infant, or concealment of birth	317 and 318	110	89	27	57	5	
Grievous hurt	325 and 326	935	1853	564	1249	35	
Grievous hurt on grave and sudden provocation	335	15	38	6	32	...	
Hurt	323—334	7788	9536	4577	5201	56	1 Escaped, and 1 transferred.
Hurt by dangerous weapons	324	112	170	36	130	4	
Administering stupefying drugs	328	62	80	34	38	6	2 Transferred.
Causing hurt to extort property or confession...	327, 329—333	21	65	19	46	...	
Act dangerous to life or safety	336 and 337	5	6	...	6	...	
Wrongful restraint	341	516	781	428	348	7	
Ditto confinement	342—346	446	434	293	129	12	
Ditto to extort property or confession	347 and 348	17	31	23	8	...	
Assault or use of criminal force	352—335, 358	4417	6966	3305	3626	34	1 Died.
Ditto on a woman with intent to outrage her modesty	353 and 354, 356	10	24	...	24	...	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. II. (CRIMINAL).—(*Continued.*)

Statement of Offences reported, and Persons tried, convicted, and acquitted for each Offence in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1870.

		Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
Criminal intimidation or insult	504—509	430	454	230	231	2	1 Transferred.
Causing annoyance in state of intoxication	510	20	52	26	1	25	
Unlawful compulsion of labor	374	6	7	4	3	...	
Buying or disposing of any person as a slave	370 and 371	6	21	9	11	...	1 Ditto.
Kidnapping or abduction	363—365 367—369	210	459	227	196	3	32 Ditto and 1 escaped.
Abducting a woman to compel marriage or for defilement	366	27	65	27	32	1	5 Ditto.
Selling, letting, or unlawfully obtaining a woman for purposes of prostitution	372 and 373	38	98	42	34	...	22 Ditto.
Enticing a married woman with criminal intent	498	1609	1649	1241	379	25	3 Ditto and 1 died.
Fraudulent and unlawful marriages	493—496	81	86	76	10	...	
Adultery	497	41	39	27	11	1	
Rape	376	205	186	124	59	2	1 Ditto.
Unnatural offences	377	45	48	17	30	1	
Defamation	500—502	173	189	114	68	5	2 Ditto.
OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY WITH VIOLENCE.							
Dacoity	395—397 398	79	463	123	320	15	5 Ditto.
Preparation or assembly for dacoity	399—402	...	...	...	...	...	
Robbery with hurt or deadly weapons... By poisoning or stupifying drugs	394—397	48	85	37	43	5	
Robbery with hurt or deadly weapons... By other means	398	11	21	5	16	...	
Robbery — In dwelling-house	392 and 393	18	3	...	3	...	
Robbery — On the highway elsewhere		177	103	69	85	9	
		234	308	157	134	11	1 Died and 5 transferred.
Extortion — In dwelling house	384—389	98	105	121	42	2	
Extortion — On the highway elsewhere		2	3	3	...	...	
House-breaking or house-trespass in order to commit theft	451—454 457	347	355	274	76	5	
		17868	3296	790	2369	129	6 Transferred, and 2 died.

House-breaking or house-trespass in order to commit an offence other than theft	449 and 450 451—454 457	116	14	2	12	...	
House-breaking by night	446	...	...	...	...	...	
House-breaking or house-trespass with preparation for or attempt at hurt ...	452 and 453 458—460	639	48	19	27	2	
House-breaking or lurking-house trespass	453—456	1527	166	35	127	4	
Ditto ditto without violence	...	8	8	...	8	...	
Theft with hurt	382	1	1	1	...	...	
Theft of ordinary	379 and 380	22401	12256	3152	8910	129	68 Transferred, and 3 escaped.
Theft of cattle	381	4291	2520	757	1672	54	37 Ditto.
	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Dishonestly receiving stolen property	411—414	2744	5 39	1761	3599	86	3 Died, 1 escaped, 89 transferred.
Dishonest misappropriation of property	403 and 404	537	683	269	4 9	7	1 Transferred.
Criminal breach of trust	406—409	893	748	361	353	8	6 Ditto.
Cheating	417—420	673	761	403	338	18	2 Transferred.
Malicious Offences.							
Mischief ordinary	426 and 427 430—433	4579	5110	2886	2203	20	1 Absconded.
Mischief by poisoning or killing cattle	428 and 429	152	234	84	150	...	
Mischief by destroying landmarks	434	15	26	13	13	...	
Serious mischief by fire	435 and 436 438	260	173	138	35	...	
Criminal trespass or house trespass	447 and 448	2629	3242	1649	1583	9	1 Died, and 1 transferred.
Breaking close receptacle	461 and 462	2	3	3	...	...	
Not included in the above Classes.							
Belonging to a gang of Thugs	311	...	...	...	...	...	
Ditto ditto Dacoits	400	1	2	...	2	...	
Ditto ditto Thieves	401	6	57	4	44	...	8 Transferred, 1 died.
Vagrancy without ostensible means of livelihood, Act XXV. C. P.	295 and 296 C.P.	335	696	245	426	14	10 Ditto, 1 ditto.
Bad habit reputes	296 and 297	651	1239	462	783	24	29 Ditto, 1 escaped.
Criminal breaches of contract of service	490 and 491 492	89	172	97	74	1	
Breaches of Special Laws for the Protection of the Revenue of other Subjects—the Acts being specified.							
Breaches of laws relating to excise on spirits and drugs, Act XXI. of 1856 and Act XXII of 1864	...	816	1212	306	893	12	1 Transferred.
To Opium Act XIII. of 1857	...	128	182	39	142	1	
Salt and Saltpetre Act XIV. of 1843, XVI. of 1848, XXXI. of 1861, and XXXVI. of 1855	...	439	805	83	719	8	
Sea and Land Customs' Act XVII. of 1861	...	117	204	10	192	1	1 Escaped.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. II. (CRIMINAL).—(*Concluded.*)

Statement of Offences reported, and Persons tried, convicted, and acquitted for each Offence in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1870.

		Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
Stamp Act X. of 1862 and Act XXVII. of 1867	...	106	284	43	241	...	
Paper Currency	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Mint	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Post Office Act XVII. of 1854 and Act XIV. of 1866	...	17	23	7	16	...	
Electric Telegraph	...	2	2	...	2	...	
Payment of watchmen	...	18	39	9	30	...	
Municipalities' Act XXVI. of 1850 and Act XXV. of 1856 and VI. of 1868 ...	...	2636	4792	647	4143	2	
Jails	...	240	250	34	216	...	
Forests	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Ferries	...	16	17	3	14	...	
Canals	...	1665	5·37	1367	4,470	...	
Railways Act XVII. of 1854	...	485	607	122	682	2	1 Died.
Tools	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Stage coaches	...	45	65	23	42	...	
The Press	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Gaming and Lotteries' Act XLVIII. of 1860 and Act III. of 1867 ...	...	201	1258	205	1049	3	1 Transferred.
Wandering and dangerous lunatics	...	13	12	5	...	...	7 Ditto.
Cattle trespass or cattle stray Act XX. of 1857	...	344	716	208	507	1	
To possession of arms Act XI. of 1859 and XXXI. of 1860 ...	...	166	261	72	189	...	
„ Foreigners	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ Emigration	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Maintenance of wife and children	316 C. P.	244	205	125	77	3	
Breach of laws relating to land or water	318 and 319	115	243	20	223	...	
Security to keep the peace, Section 296 and 301	...	111	367	24	341	1	1 Died.
Being found drunk in any thoroughfair, Act V. of 1861	...	531	1053	52	1000	1	
Abetting Section 109	...	21	92	46	40	...	6 Transferred.
Discharge of Surety, Section 292	...	1	1	...	1	...	
Breach of contract to attend and supply the wants of helpless person ...	...	2	1	...	1	...	
Enforcement of penalty, Section 293 and 294	...	18	26	...	26	...	
Vagabonds, Section 101...	...	4	7	7	...	...	

Practising Mookhtar without the usual Certificate Act XX. of 1865	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	
Prevention or obstruction, &c., C. P. Section 62, contempt of Court ...	...	...	75	89	7	82	...	
European Vagrancy Act XXI. of 1869	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	
Default of appearance, Section 220, 221	...	...	14	20	1	19	...	
Buying uniform, Military Act VII. of 1867	...	...	6	6	...	6	...	
Proceeding to compel payment, Section 305	...	...	6	8	...	8	...	
Breach of Act XX. of 1866	...	...	8	8	7	1	...	
Breach of Act XXII. of 1864	...	...	1	8	...	8	...	
Inducement offered to accused, C. P. 146	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	
Breach of Act XIII. of 1859	...	...	11	49	15	34	...	
Breach of Cantonment Rules, Clause 3 of Regulation 1866, Act XII. of 1864 ...	...	...	183	826	23	803	...	
Non payment of fine, Section 33, Act VI. of 1868	...	...	105	226	66	160	...	
Gambling	...	...	44	205	25	180	...	
Breach of Act to Puraos and Surraes	...	...	2	7	7	...	...	
Income Tax	...	...	1089	1525	98	1427	...	
Liabilities of Zemindars' Act XX. of 1817	...	...	25	40	14	26	...	
Breach of Act XVI. of 1868	...	...	9	20	4	16	...	
Fraudulent concealment of property, Section 421	...	...	2	2	2	...	...	
Stolen property found on any offender, Section 130	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	
Neglect of duty Act V. of 1861	...	...	27	55	14	41	...	
Proceeding to compel payment, &c., Section 219 C. P.	...	...	18	27	2	24	...	1 Ditto.
Breach of Act XLIV. of 1857	...	...	2	5	5	...	...	
Breach of Act IV. of 1868	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Person refusing to deliver up certificate Act V. of 1861	...	...	181	819	15	804	...	
License Tax Act IX. of 1869	...	...	305	680	49	631	...	
Misconduct Clause 5 Act XX. of 1817	...	...	1	2	...	2	...	
Attempt to commit offence, Section 511, Indian Penal Code	...	...	7937	966	414	465	...	87 Ditto.
Recognizance to keep the peace, Section 280 and 282 Act XXV. of 1861 ...	...	...	467	1874	141	1732	1	
Bond ditto ditto	...	...	616	1894	283	1607	2	2 Ditto.
Breach of Act XXII. of 1864	...	...	50	70	1	69	...	
Ditto ditto ditto ditto, Section 29	...	...	4	11	1	10	...	
Ditto ditto, VIII. of 1851	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	
Adulteration of food or drink, Section 272	...	...	2	9	...	9	...	
Inoculation Act XXIV. of 1868	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	
GRAND TOTAL	...	...	109,339	1,14,399	34,748	78,132	1,003	516 Died, transferred, and escaped.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. IV. (CRIMINAL.)

Statement shewing the Punishments inflicted by various Criminal Tribunals in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1870.

		By village Officers.	By unpaid Magistrates.	By Sub Local paid Magistrates.	By full power Magistrates of general jurisdiction.	By chief Magistrates of Districts.	By Sessions Courts.	By High Court.	Total.	Remarks.
Fined		...	3,892	21,025	17,225	3,501	25	...	45,668	
Imprisoned		...	346	4,410	10,201	1,696	1,452	...	18,105	
Flogged		...	31	1,050	2,545	514	12	...	4,152	
Ordered to find security		...	2	21	2,452	453	...	...	2,928	
Imprisoned and fined		...	58	1,154	1,510	306	288	...	3,316	
Ditto and flogged		...	3	105	336	91	3	...	538	
Death		...	...	...	...	...	98	...	98	
Total, persons punished		...	4,332	27,765	34,269	6,561	1,878	...	74,805	
Fines not exceeding Rs.	5	...	3,501	18,079	11,317	2,235	16	...	35,148	
Ditto ditto „	50	...	451	4,037	6,927	1,424	213	...	13,052	
Ditto ditto „	200	...	3	62	458	132	64	...	719	
Ditto ditto „	1,000	...	...	1	37	16	18	...	72	
Fines exceeding „	1,000	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	
Total, No. fines		...	3,955	22,179	18,739	3,807	313	...	48,993	
Total amount of fines		...	11,440	1,30,663	1,79,084	62,674	26,093	...	4,09,954	
Amount realized		...	10,824	90,575	1,57,762	36,415	9,229	...	2,98,805	
Ditto paid to injured parties by way of compensation or compromise...		...	489	2,704	8,130	2,493	2,276	...	16,092	
Sentences of Imprisonment not exceeding 15 days ...	Rigorous	...	116	1,301	648	158	...	...	2,223	
	Simple	...	47	257	275	99	8	...	686	
Ditto 6 months ...	Rigorous	...	227	3,779	6,471	873	232	...	11,582	
	Simple	...	4	139	424	47	27	...	641	
Ditto 2 years ...	Rigorous	...	13	191	4,211	839	394	...	5,648	
	Simple	...	...	...	25	5	8	...	39	
Ditto 7 years ...	Rigorous	...	...	...	17	51	770	...	838	
	Simple	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Exceeding 7 years ...	Rigorous	...	...	...	...	...	109	...	109	
	Simple	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total ...	Rigorous	...	356	5,271	11,347	1,921	1,505	...	20,400	
	Simple	...	51	396	724	151	43	...	1,365	
Penal Servitude ...	For Terms	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	
	For Life	...	...	...	...	...	191	...	191	
Sentenced in addition to Imprisonment to ...	Solitary confinement	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Forfeiture of property	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	

N. B.—This statement disagrees with foregoing punishment statement, because certain kinds of punishments in them entered are not inserted in this. The form is faulty.

(Sd.) W. TYRRELL,
Officiating Registrar.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. V. (CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing the result of appeal and Revision in Criminal Cases in the North-Western Provinces, during the year 1870.

Tribunals.		Number of persons or appellants, whose cases were called for by High Court.	Number of Persons.						Remarks.
			Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences modified.	Sentences reversed.	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending.	
Magistrates, District.	Appeals from unpaid Magistrates ...	298	11	191	43	50	1	2	
	Appeals from paid Magistrates ...	2,409*	108	1,539	170	503	45	41	
Sessions Court	Appeals from unpaid Magistrates ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Appeals from paid ditto.	3,936†	601	2,091	298	776	42	127	B. This entry includes records called for on 13 Sessions statements and 35 Criminal petitions, 97 cases of default of payment of Income Tax and cases of imprisonment in default of security were called for in reference to Annual Reports and quarterly statements. These were disposed after the close of the year in the 1st quarter of 1871.
High Court		872	A140	495	129	83	20	B 145	

* 3 Cases of three persons struck off in default

† 1 Transferred.

A. These cases are not called for by the High Court, almost all of them have been received by post and rejected.

High Court of Judicature, N.-W. P.:
The 19th June, 1871.

W. TYRRELL,
Offg. Registrar.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. XI. (CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing use of Juries and Assessors in Criminal Courts of the North-Western Provinces in the year 1870.

Classes of Courts in which Juries or Assessors are employed distinguishing criminal from Civil Courts.	Established or average number of Jury or Assessors in each case and prescribed qualification.	Number of cases tried by Jury.	Number of cases with Assessors.	Jury Trials.			Assessors Trials.		Note showing in what classes of cases Juries and Assessors have been principally employed.	Remarks.
				Verdict in favor of the prosecutor or plaintiff.	Verdict in favor of the accused or defendant.	Jury discharged without verdict.	Number of cases in which Judges agreed with Assessors.	Number of cases in which Judges differed from Assessors.		
Sessions Judges Courts in North-Western Provinces	3	...	1,229	...	...	...	1,088	141	...	Assessors were only employed in criminal cases, committed to the Sessions Court. Juries were employed in all criminal cases.
High Court, North-Western Provinces ...	12	23	...	14*	10	...	23	...	...	
Total ...	...	23	1,229	14	10	...	1,111	141	...	

* In 1 case there were 2 persons.

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, N.-W. P.:
The 19th June, 1871.

W. TYRRELL,
Offg. Registrar.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. III. (CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing the General Result of Criminal Trials in the tribunals of various classes in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1870.

CLASS OF TRIBUNALS.	Numer of Persons dealt with.					Persons disposed of								Remarks.
	Remaining at end of last year.	*Brought to trial during the present year.* By arrest.	*Brought to trial during the present year.* By summons or recognizance.	Received by transfer.	Total.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped or transferred.	Remaining at end of the year.	Average number of days during which each case lasted.	Number of witnesses who attended.	
Village Officers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Unpaid Magistrates	7	2,243	4,003	1	6,254	1,042	855	4,329	25	...	3	9	11,603	
Local and Subordinate paid Magistrates,	193	14,207	25,132	84	39,616	6,623	5,292	27,305	107	91	198	8	80,409	
Full power Magistrates exercising jurisdiction throughout the District ...	722	30,618	27,582	274	59,196	8,966	9,482	37,575	2,207	306	660	8	1,48,070	
Chief Magistrates of Districts ...	74	4,862	4,062	335	9,333	1,021	1,467	6,121	463	119	142	9	16,618	
Total Magistracy ...	996	51,930	60,779	694	1,14,399	17,652	17,096	75,330	2,802	516	1,003	8	2,56,700	
Sessions Court	187	2,388	52	254	2,881	57	620	1,860	56	51	237	36	11,369	
High Court	...	...	24*	...	24	...	10	14	...	...	...	...	105	
Grand Total ...	1,183	54,318	60,855	948	1,17,304	17,709	17,726	77,204	2,858	567	1,240	22	2,68,174	

* In 1 case there were 2 persons.

NOTES ON THE CRIMINAL STATEMENTS FOR 1871.

I.

THE first General Statement showing the number of offences reported and prosecuted, the number of persons under trial, and the mode in which their cases were disposed of in the Magisterial Courts of the North-Western Provinces, gives the following results for 1871, viz., 108,425 offences were reported during the year, 56,682 were prosecuted, 107,663 persons were brought before the Courts, of whom 31,939 were acquitted or discharged, 74,216 were convicted and committed, while 1,102 persons remained under disposal at the close of the year.

2. It will be convenient for comparison sake to show the figures under those heads for the last three years in a tabular form :—

	Reported.	Prosecuted.	Under trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted and committed.	Undisposed of.
In 1869	1,24,314	67,065	1,24,097	38,761	83,631	996
In 1870	1,09,339	60,661	1,14,399	34,748	78,132	1,003
In 1871	1,08,425	56,682	1,07,663	31,939	74,216	1,002

From the above table it will be seen that there was a decrease under each one of the heads given.

3. The number of persons whose cases were pending at the end of the year may appear somewhat large, but it has been ascertained that, with few exceptions, these cases came before the Courts during the last few days of the year. The lightness of the pending files in some districts was highly creditable. For instance, in Kumaon 4, in Budaon 6, in Etawah 7, and in Meerut 12. The highest pending files were in Moradabad 84, and in Benares, 73.

4. The percentage of persons convicted and committed to those whose cases were disposed of is 69, as it was in the previous year. The highest results in this respect were attained in the districts mentioned in the margin. The lowest averages are found in Jounpore, Kumaon, and Gurhwal. The failure of success in prosecution in the Hill districts is ascribed partly to geographical and partly to social causes. It is stated that a large portion of the offences reported in those parts of the country consists of supposed or suspected offences against the laws relating to marriage. These complaints it seems are seldom prosecuted to conviction.

Mynpoory	·82
Cawnpore	·81
Allahabad	·80
Bijnour	·77
Budaon	·76
Bustee	·75
Saharunpore	·75
Jhansie	·74
Moradabad	·74
Meerut	·74

5. The figures extracted in the margin show the number of the graver offences against the person reported during the last four years respectively. With the exception of the offence of murder, the other figures show a progressive increase.

	1868.	1869.	1870.	1871.
Murder	427	380	339	322
Culpable homicide ...	296	282	215	263
Grievous hurt ...	909	854	935	1,073
Hurt	7,368	6,711	7,788	8,858

6. The figures extracted in the margin show the number of offences against the property reported during the same years. The crime of dacoity is pretty much as it was in 1870. A creditable instance of grappling with this most disreputable and demoralizing form of crime is to be found in the Goruckpore District, where also, as Mr. Phillipps points out, it was very satisfactory to find the neighbouring landholder giving efficient help to the police in discovering and over-powering the criminals. It is satisfactory to find a decrease in the offences of theft and robbery.

	1868.	1869.	1870.	1871.
Theft	34,199	36,532	26,602	22,541
Robbery	582	614	489	404
Dacoity ...	112	129	79	80
House-breaking for theft...	16,568	10,316	17,868	20,238

The increase under the heading house-breaking for theft may be to some extent more apparent than real, being ascribable to greater accuracy in recording reports of this class of offence under their proper heads. But it must be noted, as will be seen from examination of a synoptical statement of these offences in the years 1869, 1870, and 1871, that while there is little variation in the figures for each year in the Divisions of Meerut, Rohilkhund, and Agra, there has been a considerable increase during the year under review in the tale of crime of this class in the Benares and Allahabad Divisions. It is alleged that the chowkeedar force has been largely reduced in these Divisions; this, if it be a fact, would act both directly and indirectly on the statistics of this kind of crime :—

	*1869.			1870.			1871.		
	House breaking for theft.	House breaking for other than theft.	Total.	House breaking for theft.	House breaking for other than theft.	Total.	House breaking for theft.	House breaking for other than theft.	Total.
Benares Division.									
Benares	...	850	850	710	85	795	608	424	1,032
Mirzapore	604	19	623	546	14	560	545	15	560
Azimghur	2,008	...	2,008	1,181	...	1,181	1,526	10	1,536
Goruckpore..	1,252	52	1,304	1,042	81	1,123	552	572	1,124
Bustee	448	106	554	559	30	589	548	12	560
Ghazeepore	456	284	740	...	600	600	396	653	1,049
			6,079			4,848			5,861
Allahabad Division.									
Allahabad	2,004	21	2,025	1,298	...	1,298	1,879	...	1,879
Jounpore	470	189	659	584	4	588	458	124	582
Futtehpore	398	120	518	252	113	365	599	5	604
Cawnpore	601	17	618	495	21	516	1,084	113	1,197
Banda	719	...	719	498	...	498	705	...	705
Humeerpore	509	1	510	263	...	263	187	97	284
			5,049			3,528			5,251
Meerut Division.									
Saharunpore	...	787	787	597	...	597	789	1	790
Moozuffernuggur	261	2	263	234	...	234	177	114	291
Dehra Doon	131	3	134	55	12	67	56	15	71
Meerut	428	1	429	309	8	317	387	...	387
Boolundshuhur	453	2	455	403	2	405	558	5	563
Allygurh	230	188	418	295	254	549	638	261	899
Etah	1,265	...	1,265	1,094	455	1,549	1,197	..	1,197
			3,751			3,718			3,698
Rohilkhund Division.									
Moradabad	459	8	467	422	11	433	464	7	471
Bijnour	1,315	2	1,317	605	...	605	375	5	380
Bareilly	1,111	2	1,113	1,010	...	1,010	1,015	...	1,015
Budaon	839	...	839	791	1	792	1,131	1	1,132
Shahjehanpore	834	116	950	544	1	545	475	122	597
			4,686			3,385			3,595
Agra Division.									
Agra	1,646	522	2,168	1,143	519	1,662	1,565	60	1625
Muttra	512	...	512	470	1	471	415	...	415
Furruckabad	481	118	599	381	47	428	444	106	550
Mynpoory	396	20	416	235	3	238	444	184	628
Etawah	38	3	41	350	1	351	456	...	456
			3,736			3,150			3,674
Kumaon Division.									
Kumaon	4	2	6	8	2	10	1	2	3
Gurhwal	...	1	1	...	1	1	...	...	...
			7			11			3
Jhansie Division.									
Jhansie	...	919	919	289	...	289	258	...	258
Jaloun	...	291	291	171	16	187	165	12	177
Lullutpore	64	774	838	234	7	241	141	11	152
			2,048			717			587

* In the year 1869 there was considerable distress among the Agricultural classes.

7. Of the bulk of the offences reported, as many as 10,946 were petty offences against municipal and sanitary laws.

8. Three hundred and seventy persons were reported as vagrants without ostensible means of livelihood, 595 as being persons of bad habit and repute, 520 were required to give personal recognizance, and 342 to find security to keep the peace, and 4,276 attempts to commit offences were reported.

9. From the above facts it will be seen that, as in the previous year, the bulk of the crimes reported was not of a grave and heinous character.

II.

10. The second statement shows in detail the results of the trials in the Magisterial Courts during the year under review.

11. At the beginning of the year, 970 persons were awaiting trial from the previous year, 47,390 persons were brought to trial by arrest, and 58,835 by summons. These figures, with the addition of 468 persons whose cases were received by transfer from other provinces, make a total of 1,07,663 whose cases were under disposal during the year.

12. Of these persons, 17,398 were discharged without trial, 14,541 were acquitted, 74,216 were convicted and committed, 406 died, escaped, or were transferred elsewhere, and 1,102 persons remained undisposed of at the end of the year. Of these latter, 641 persons were in custody, and 461 on bail or recognizance.

13. These figures are compared in the subjoined statement with those of the previous year.

	In 1870.	In 1871.
Discharged	17,652	17,398
Acquitted	17,096	14,541
Convicted including committed ...	78,132	74,216
Died, escaped, or transferred	516	406

14. The proportion of persons acquitted after trial by the Magistrates to the entire number disposed of by them amounted to 13 per cent., being two per cent. less than in the previous year. The proportion of persons discharged without trial by the Magistrates, (16 per cent) was not excessive.

15. The Court has had frequent occasion to notice the rarity with which the Courts avail themselves of the provisions of the law for making local inquiries by Subordinate Magistrates under the Criminal Procedure Code.

16. Only 756 such enquiries were held during the year; of these 232 were in Jounpore, 91 in Benares, and 56 in Bareilly. None were made in the districts of Dehra Dhoon, Meerut, Etah, Muttra, Mynpoory, Etawah, Mirzapore, Ghazeepore, and Jaloun.

17. The Court conceives that if this provision of the law was more extensively utilised, the number of persons unnecessarily brought before the Courts would diminish, detection of serious crimes would improve, and the Subordinate Magistracy generally would acquire profitable information and experience.

18. As many as 63 cases pending at the close of the year had been so pending for more than six weeks. Lullutpore and Cawnpore were accountable each for 13 of these cases, Jhansie for 7, Mirzapore and Banda for 6 each, and Budaon, Moradabad and Dehra Dhoon for 4, respectively.

III.

19. The next statement shows the various degrees of punishment inflicted by the Magistrates during the year.

20. 44,721 persons were fined in sums amounting to an aggregate of Rs. 2,86,717, of which Rs. 2,23,462 or ·78 were realised. 14,901 were imprisoned, and 3,280 were

flogged: of the latter, 624 were juveniles and 2,656 adults. 1,296 persons were ordered to find security for good behaviour, 1,802 to find security to keep the peace, 2,370 to enter into recognizance for the same. 2,376 persons were imprisoned and fined, 408 were imprisoned and flogged, 6 were fined and flogged, making a total of 71,352 persons punished during the year.

21. The proportion of fines realised, ·78, is observed by the Court to be generally creditable. It would have been much higher for the Province generally had it not been for especial failures in a few districts among which the most conspicuous were Moradabad, Meerut, Furruckabad, Bareilly, Dehra Dhoon, Ghazeepore, and Kumaon.

22. Of the persons fined, 37,312 were fined sums not exceeding Rs. 5. 9,393 persons were fined sums not exceeding Rs. 50. 356 were fined sums ranging from Rs. 50 to 200, and 42 persons were fined sums exceeding Rs. 200.

23. Of the 16,571 persons punished with rigorous imprisonment, 2,244 were imprisoned for periods not exceeding 15 days. 9,604 for periods not exceeding 6 months, 4,701 for periods limited to two years, and 22 for periods extending to seven years.

24 1,115 persons were sentenced to simple imprisonment, and 1,086 were imprisoned in default of furnishing security as required.

25. The foregoing figures may be tabulated advantageously with those of the two preceding years :—

	Fined.	Imprisoned.	Flogged.	Security for good behaviour.	Security to keep the peace.	Recognizance to keep the peace.	Imprisoned and fined.	Imprisoned and flogged.	Fined and flogged.	Total.
In 1869 ...	41,763	23,666	6,384	1,373	1,354	1,992	3,061	517	20	80,130
In 1870 ...	45,643	16,653	4,140	1,293	1,635	2,129	3,028	535	9	75,065
In 1871 ...	44,721	14,901	3,280	1,296	1,802	2,370	2,376	408	6	71,352

26. These statistics suport the belief that crime of a grave character has been on the decrease within the last few years.

IV.

27. The fourth statement shows the number of witnesses who attended the Magisterial Courts, and the duration of their detention. 2,34,071 witnesses attended, being 22,629 less than in the preceding year.

28. Of these witnesses, 22,804 were discharged on the first day, and 11,267 were detained more than one day, of whom 1,057 were detained more than three, and 124 more than seven days.

29. If these figures are correct, they are creditable to the diligence and punctuality of the Courts, and it is only fair to record that no reason has been shown for discrediting these figures.

30. The average duration of cases in the Magisterial Courts, as in the previous year, was eight days.

V.

31. The fifth statement shows the result of appeals from the Subordinate-Magistracy to the Court of the Magistrates of the District. 2,262 persons appealed.

32. Of the appeals heard, 1,259 failed, and 755 or ·37 prevailed. 69 cases were remanded for further trial, and 34 remained pending at the end of the year.

33. 3,647 persons appealed to the Sessions Courts, being 209 less than in the previous year. Of these appeals, 2,092 failed, 834 succeeded, 37 were remanded, and 133 remained pending.

34. It is creditable to the judgment of the Lower Courts, that not more than ·27 of the appeals heard and decided prevailed.

VI.

35. 3,089 persons, committed for trial to the Sessions Courts, were before those Courts for disposal during the year. This was 129 less than the total number for disposal in 1870. Of the persons tried in 1871 by the Sessions Courts, 1,998 were convicted, and 711 or ·27 were acquitted. This result is not unsatisfactory. It is the same as in the previous year.

Largest number of Commitments.			*Smallest number of Commitments.*		
Benares		286	Kumaon		29
Banda		240	Jhansie		67
Goruckpore		238	Ghazeepore		90
Moradabad		211			
Cawnpore		207			
Bareilly		203			
Saharunpore		198			

36. The largest and smallest number of commitments was made in the Judgeships noted in the margin.

37. In those Judgeships in which the number of commitments was sufficiently considerable to justify comparisons, the districts marginally noted were remarkable for failure of the prosecution.

Districts.	*Percentage of convictions.*
Muttra ...	·32
Dehra Dhoon ...	·43
Kumaon ...	·52
Agra ...	·54
Jounpore ...	·63
Meerut ...	·64
Furruckabad ...	·65
Ghazeepore ...	·66

38. 2,001 persons were punished by the Sessions Judges during the year 1871.

39. Of these, 89 persons were sentenced to death, and 1,691 to imprisonment.

40. Rs. 28,350 were imposed as fines, of which Rs. 6,199 only have been realised. The Judges have been admonished of the necessity of seeing that the Magistrates take due steps for the realisation, as far as possible, of these fines.

41. One person was transported for a term of years, and 194 for life.

42. 1,328 cases were tried with the aid of Assessors during the year; 3,938 Assessors served; the Judges concurred with the Assessors in 1,104, and differed from them in 220 cases. Highly favourable opinions have been recorded by some of the most experienced and thoughtful of the Judges regarding the value of the help rendered by Assessors, especially with regard to the facts and probabilities of a case, as to which their practical knowledge of native social and domestic life makes them valuable Judges.

43. The average number of days during which each trial lasted in the Sessions Courts is given as 30 days for the Province; but, while the calculation in the majority of instances seems to have been made properly and according to rule, it is clear that in some districts it has been stupidly miscalculated. For instance, in Allahabad it is represented as one day, but it is impossible that every commitment was begun and ended within one day from the date of the commitment reaching the Sessions Court. Again, similar difficulties beset the statement, that in Jounpore and Etah, which are under the jurisdiction of non-resident Judges, the average duration was five days and eight days only. There is likewise a difficulty in believing that the average duration of the Sessions trials in Ghurwal and Kumaon was six and five days only.

44. The average duration of appeals, 16 days, was decidedly creditable.

45. 83 persons were sentenced to death during the year, 65 of these sentences were confirmed by the High Court, 12 were modified, and 6 persons were acquitted.

Order Confirmed for	Modified or remanded.	Order reversed.
35.	155.	62.

652 cases came before the High Court in appeal or revision, the mode in which these cases were disposed of is shown in the margin.

46. 240 cases came before the High Court under Sections 54, 434, or 404 of the Criminal Procedure Code.

In 169 of these, the order of the Lower Court was confirmed, in 54 it was modified, in 17 it was reversed.

VIII.

47. 14 cases were tried by the High Court in the exercise of its original jurisdiction at Allahabad. These cases occupied one Barrister Judge for nine days.

A Civilian Judge, on deputation at Bareilly, tried and determined 10 commitments in eight days.

48. The Court is glad to learn that, in the opinion of some officers qualified to form a sound judgment on the subject, the Honorary Magistracy has worked efficiently. The evils to the administration of justice, and the inconvenience to the public, that must attend on frequent changes in the Magisterial Staff of a District are too obvious to require to be insisted on. The Court hopes that the subject will receive the attention it deserves from the Government.

Extracts from the Meerut Criminal Report for 1871.

I HAVE continued to inspect the record of cases tried by these gentlemen, Honorary Magistrates, and am glad to be able to give a very favourable report on their proceedings during the present year. Notice has been taken from time to time of the errors, and I find that I have had occasion to find fault with Oomrao Singh and Bakur Ali Khan only. Oomrao Singh is a very intelligent gentleman, and his errors were those simply of procedure which did not affect the issue of the case. Bakur Ali Khan has lately been invested with powers, and has made a few mistakes to which his attention has been called, such as issuing summons bearing the signature of the Mohurrir, swearing a defendant, and the like. In one case he admitted and decided a charge laid under a section which he was not empowered to try. The case was reported to the High Court for reversal of order.

The Honorary Magistrates have given much assistance to me besides the relief they have afforded to the people and the District Officer, by distributing medicines during the late unhealthy season, and supplying information on all subjects. In fact, I have made use of them on every possible occasion, and my efforts to induce them to prove of service to the Government and the people have been most successful. I have lately recommended three other gentleman to be created Honorary Magistrates.

Extracts from the Benares Criminal Report for 1871.

THE Bench of City Honorary Magistrates has worked well, and, since three of their number were invested with first class powers, have really proved an efficient help to the District staff of Stipendiary Magistrates. When I took charge of the District in October, complaints reached me that the City Magistrates had frequently to sit idle in Kutcherry, and this although the regular staff was at the time very weak and work in their Courts falling into arrears. I immediately made such arrangements as to ensure the Bench of Honorary Magistrates being fully employed, and since then (especially in disposing of petty theft cases during the Eclipse fair) they have efficiently discharged a fair share of the petty criminal work of the city. Speaking generally, I have found their judgments to be sound, and I believe they command the respect and confidence of the native community.

This statement shows that there have been several changes among the Magisterial staff during the past year, and to these changes, I think, in some measure is to be attributed the longer duration of cases, which has increased, from four days six hours

in 1870, to five days and six hours in 1871. In cases transferred from the Court of one Magistrate to that of another, the witnesses have generally to be re-summoned and examined *de novo*. This necessarily causes considerable delay in the decision of cases.

Extract from the Goruckpore Criminal Report for 1871.

DURING the past year a case occurred in this district quite unique in my experience of the country in regard to two features. First, that the Superintendent of Police, Mr. Berril, was enabled, by prompt intelligence received by him as to the movements of a band of dacoits, who had collected for dacoitee, to personally apprehend the ringleaders to the amount of six and to kill another red handed while inside the house into which they had broken; and secondly, that in so doing he received prompt and effectual assistance from the zemindar of a neighbouring village, Baboo Mohur Singh.

APPENDIX.

No. 1.

General Statement showing the number of offences reported and prosecuted, as well as the number of persons under trial, and those whose cases were disposed of during the year 1871, in the Magisterial Courts, North-Western Provinces.

District.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of offences prosecuted.	Number of persons under trial.	Number of persons whose cases were disposed of.		Number of persons whose cases were left undisposed at the close of the year.	Percentage of persons convicted and committed to those whose cases were disposed of.
				Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted including committed.		
Saharunpore	3,102	1,905	3,301	812	2,451	31	75·
Moozuffernugger	1,614	993	1,718	641	1,018	29	62·
Dehra Doon	905	700	1,121	353	739	25	67·
Meerut	2,051	2,408	5,783	1,521	4,235	12	74·
Boolundshuhur	2,737	1,701	4,450	1,259	3,156	32	71·
Allygurh	3,311	1,935	3,785	1,438	2,321	24	62·
Etah	2,990	1,770	2,613	836	1,749	27	67·
Moradabad	6,846	1,715	3,295	817	2,361	84	74·
Bijnour	1,407	874	2,176	492	1,659	18	77·
Bareilly	6,820	2,420	5,791	1,967	3,762	55	65·
Budaon	3,295	1,262	2,079	504	1,567	6	76·
Shahjehanpore	5,277	2,050	3,770	1,259	2,472	36	66·
Agra	4,824	2,597	4,406	1,462	2,919	18	67·
Muttra	2,403	1,680	3,129	963	2,139	13	68·
Furruckabad	3,087	1,799	3,624	987	2,574	61	72·
Mynpoory	2,022	1,113	2,292	402	1,853	24	82·
Etawah	2,803	1,531	2,761	784	1,968	7	72·
Cawnpore	4,867	2,896	4,232	800	3,390	29	81·
Humeerpore	3,488	1,403	2,472	756	1,683	13	69·
Futtehpore	2,353	838	1,575	432	1,110	11	72·
Banda	3,157	1,748	3,412	1,296	2,065	40	61·
Allahabad	8,501	4,887	10,025	1,980	8,002	43	80·
Goruckpore	5,011	2,000	3,596	1,123	2,411	61	68·
Bustee	1,745	805	1,474	344	1,049	28	75·
Azimgurh	4,496	1,491	2,755	881	1,777	73	66·
Jounpore	2,414	1,709	3,085	1,361	1,639	59	54·
Mirzapore	4,025	2,567	4,412	1,724	2,610	69	60·
Benares	4,301	2,744	4,995	1,312	3,601	73	73·
Ghazeepore	3,369	2,078	3,673	1,443	2,165	48	60·
Kumaon	1,117	677	1,259	533	722	4	57·
Gurhwal	636	265	382	157	207	4	55·
Jhansie	1,725	1,084	1,783	450	1,306	11	74·
Jaloun	952	725	1,546	540	987	28	63·
Lullutpore	834	522	890	300	569	15	65·
Total of 1871 ...	1,08,425	56,682	1,07,663	31,939	74,216	1,102	69·
Total of 1870 ...	1,09,339	60,661	1,14,399	34,748	78,132	1,003	69·
District average of 1871 ...	3,188	1,667	3,166	939	2,182	32	69·
District average of 1870 ...	3,124	1,733	3,268	992	2,232	29	69·

No. 2.

Statement showing the General Result of Criminal Trials before the various Magisterial Authorities in the Districts of the North-Western Provinces during the year 1871.

Districts.	Number of persons dealt with					Persons disposed of.				Remaining at the end of the year.				
	Remaining at end of last year.	Brought to trial during the year. By arrest.	Brought to trial during the year. By summons or recognizance.	Received by transfer.	Total.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted including committed.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	In custody.	On bail or recognizance.	Number of enquiries by Sub-Magistrates under Sections 135, 180, and Chapter XVI. of the Criminal Procedure Code.	Number of cases pending above 6 weeks at the end of the year.	Percentage of convictions in cases committed.
Saharunpore,	29	1,497	1,772	6	3,304	465	347	2,451	10	26	5	12	...	74·
Mooozuffurnugger.	3	427	1,288	...	1,718	310	331	1,048	...	19	10	12	...	75·
Dehra Doon,	4	684	433	...	1,121	206	147	739	4	19	6	...	4	42·
Meerut ..	11	2,446	3,299	27	5,783	811	710	4,235	15	7	5	...	...	64·
Boolundshuhur.	14	1,233	3,194	9	4,450	1,055	204	3,156	3	23	9	16	...	78·
Allygurh ...	64	1,458	2,262	1	3,785	875	563	2,321	2	15	9	8	...	69·
Etah ...	31	1,141	1,395	46	2,613	449	387	1,749	1	18	9	...	...	65·
Moradabad,	62	964	2,255	14	3,295	298	519	2,361	33	37	47	24	4	71·
Bijnour ...	28	1,052	1,088	8	2,176	17	475	1,659	7	16	2	31	...	76·
Bareilly ...	30	2,050	3,710	1	5,791	724	1,243	3,762	7	35	20	56	...	83·
Budaon ..	8	914	1,154	3	2,079	404	100	1,567	2	5	1	2	4	80·
Shahjehanpore.	43	1,995	1,731	1	3,770	392	867	2,472	3	12	24	33	...	87·
Agra ...	34	1,792	2,441	139	4,406	673	789	2,919	7	12	6	39	...	54·
Muttra ...	24	1,218	1,887	...	3,129	422	541	2,139	14	12	1	...	...	32·
Furruckabad.	28	1,417	2,172	7	3,624	509	478	2,574	2	38	23	18	1	71·
Mynpoory...	8	1,010	1,271	3	2,292	238	164	1,853	13	17	7	...	...	85·
Etawah ...	33	898	1,820	10	2,761	406	378	1,968	2	5	2	...	...	72·
Cawnpore...	9	1,942	2,279	2	4,232	208	592	3,390	22	14	6	4	13	79·
Humeerpore,	10	1,385	1,069	8	2,472	453	303	1,683	20	10	3	37	...	88·
Futtehpore	14	756	802	3	1,575	224	208	1,110	22	11	...	15	1	72·
Banda ...	42	1,313	2,053	4	3,412	705	591	2,065	11	25	15	13	6	75·
Allahabad,	41	3,963	6,021	...	10,025	1,520	460	8,002	...	20	23	19	1	80·
Goruckpore,	38	1,879	1,668	11	3,596	790	333	2,411	1	47	14	2	...	92·
Bustee ...	20	828	574	52	1,474	116	228	1,049	53	26	2	21	...	73·
Azimgurh...	95	1,393	1,258	9	2,755	412	469	1,777	24	38	35	23	...	78·
Jounpore ...	22	1,283	1,770	10	3,085	972	389	1,639	26	32	27	232	1	37·
Mirzapore,	70	1,857	2,480	5	4,412	996	728	2,610	9	29	40	...	6	74·
Benares ...	26	3,284	1,664	21	4,995	563	749	3,601	9	14	59	91	1	70·
Ghazeepore,	55	1,994	1,609	15	3,673	977	466	2,165	17	24	24	...	1	67·
Kumaon ...	17	437	805	...	1,259	411	122	722	...	1	3	8	...	68·
Gurhwal ...	4	189	185	4	382	115	52	207	4	..	4	25	...	50·
Jhansie ...	23	1,207	552	1	1,783	203	247	1,306	16	6	5	13	7	83·
Jaloun ...	11	1,015	484	36	1,546	222	318	937	41	18	10	...	...	50·
Lullutpore,	19	469	390	12	890	257	43	569	6	10	5	2	13	61·
Total ...	970	47,390	58,835	468	1,07,663	17,398	14,541	74,216	406	641	461	756	63	69·

No. 3.

Statement showing the decrees of punishment inflicted by the several Magisterial Tribunals of the Districts North-Western Provinces during the year 1871.

District.	Number of persons punished.									
	Fined.	Imprisoned.	Flogged.		Ordered to find security for good behaviour.	Ordered to find security to keep the peace.	Ordered to enter into recognizance.	Ordered to maintain wife and children.	Ordered to refrain from taking possession of land or water.	Imprisoned and fined.
			Juveniles.	Adults.						
Saharunpore ...	1,778	288	18	52	48	77	75	...	6	54
Moozuffernuggur ...	627	191	8	43	9	17	11	1	...	23
Dehra Doon ...	553	82	1	27	10	9	41	...	...	9
Meerut ...	3,242	362	26	77	114	65	134	4	2	83
Boolundshuhur ...	2,274	358	18	50	56	3	267	...	5	86
Allyghur ...	1,504	438	1	58	...	59	91	3	...	64
Etan ...	1,010	408	9	46	31	22	35	2	4	104
Moradabad ...	1,117	430	7	9	114	272	31	...	...	279
Bijnour ...	1,049	165	4	35	14	42	150	...	1	129
Bareilly ...	1,468	1,018	41	58	66	180	646	4	...	73
Budaon ...	707	360	17	40	39	164	40	...	8	96
Shahjehanpore ...	1,316	709	12	65	17	125	18	2	8	77
Agra ...	1,780	635	61	141	84	10	68	3	8	24
Muttra ...	1,450	330	32	75	36	22	64	...	...	39
Furruckabad ...	1,691	432	17	29	61	132	32	...	...	55
Mynpoory ...	1,162	342	8	102	13	35	63	1	3	44
Etawah ...	1,246	326	21	49	50	3	85	3	7	103
Cawnpore ...	1,828	1,096	42	108	20	3	79	2	7	42
Humeerpore ...	967	345	17	160	4	62	5	1	1	50
Futtehpore ...	508	354	3	31	13	27	20	3	...	75
Banda ...	1,009	496	17	87	18	48	97	2	5	134
Allahabad ...	6,360	875	44	203	53	72	115	8	5	105
Goruckpore ...	1,123	740	25	143	63	3	33	4	8	102
Bustee ...	434	345	12	161	10	3	...	...	8	41
Azimgurh ...	1,004	448	4	84	13	17	11	...	...	73
Jounpore ...	897	534	12	64	24	...	17	5	1	48
Mirzapore ...	1,388	557	20	76	111	127	55	17	3	103
Benares ...	1,978	707	65	259	100	53	2	12	14	85
Ghazeepore ...	1,102	572	13	148	47	105	19	3	2	47
Kumaon ...	436	91	9	18	33	22	65	...	1	22
Gurhwal ...	134	38	2	7	1	6	1	...	...	12
Jhansie ...	768	385	3	62	1	17	...	...	1	37
Jaloun ...	536	221	35	67	21	...	...	...	3	23
Lullutpore ...	275	223	...	22	2	...	...	1	...	30
Total ...	44,721	14,901	624	2,656	1,296	1,802	2,370	81	111	2,376

No.

Statement showing the decrees of punishment inflicted by the several Magisterial

District.	Number of persons punished.			Detail of Number of Fines.						
	Imprisoned and flogged.	Fined and flogged.	Total persons punished.	Not exceeding Rs. 5.	Not exceeding Rs. 10.	Not exceeding Rs. 200.	Not exceeding Rs. 1,001.	Total number of fines.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.
Saharunpore ...	5	...	2,401	1,476	338	18	...	1,832	10,594	9,994
Moozuffernuggur ...	2	...	922	546	98	3	3	650	4,977	4,081
Dehra Doon ...	...	...	732	502	50	10	...	562	3,245	1,924
Meerut ...	24	...	4,133	2,828	480	16	1	3,325	15,960	14,694
Boolundshuhur ...	5	...	3,122	2,111	236	11	2	2,360	10,292	8,154
Allyghur ...	19	1	2,238	1,279	295	3	1	1,569	7,917	6,450
Etah ...	9	...	1,680	812	295	4	3	1,114	8,463	6,088
Moradabad ...	6	...	2,205	1,020	550	23	3	1,596	14,956	7,978
Bijnour ...	5	...	1,594	908	252	17	1	1,178	7,163	5,726
Bareilly ...	9	1	3,564	1,080	427	30	5	1,542	15,840	9,726
Budaon ...	9	...	1,480	469	330	4	...	803	7,519	6,210
Shahjehanpore ...	14	...	2,363	1,135	250	7	1	1,393	6,844	5,895
Agra ...	13	...	2,827	1,541	251	12	...	1,804	8,136	6,212
Muttra ...	10	...	2,058	1,198	284	7	...	1,489	6,950	5,578
Furruckabad ...	18	...	2,467	1,316	418	12	...	1,746	12,083	8,761
Mynpoory ...	14	...	1,787	900	301	4	1	1,206	8,208	6,324
Etawah ...	15	...	1,908	1,068	277	5	1	1,349	7,042	5,633
Cawnpore ...	23	...	3,250	1,387	462	18	3	1,870	14,572	12,719
Humeerpore ...	10	*1	1,623	862	152	4	...	1,018	4,339	4,030
Futtehpore ...	...	...	1,034	392	187	4	...	583	4,553	3,367
Banda ...	7	...	1,920	907	225	8	3	1,143	6,944	4,551
Allahabad ...	34	2	7,876	5,771	661	30	5	6,467	21,847	18,139
Goruckpore ...	22	...	2,266	878	354	12	1	1,225	9,910	8,268
Bustee ...	9	...	1,023	306	163	5	1	475	4,222	3,285
Azimgurh ...	25	...	1,679	807	262	7	1	1,077	7,731	5,204
Jounpore ...	2	...	1,604	725	209	9	2	945	6,242	4,720
Mirzapore ...	13	...	2,475	1,055	429	12	...	1,496	9,859	7,124
Benares ...	59	...	3,334	1,516	530	15	2	2,063	15,083	12,727
Ghazeepore ...	17	...	2,075	778	352	17	2	1,149	10,843	7,815
Kumaon ...	1	...	628	335	112	11	...	458	4,619	3,800
Gurhwal ...	1	...	202	78	58	10	...	146	2,483	1,807
Jhansie ...	4	1	1,279	681	123	2	...	806	3,502	2,819
Jaloun ...	4	...	910	447	110	2	...	559	2,468	1,995
Lullutpore ...	...	...	553	209	92	4	...	305	2,317	1,661
Total ...	498	6	71,352	37,312	9,393	356	42	47,103	2,86,717	2,23,462

* This man has also

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Tribunals of the Districts, North-Western Provinces, during the year 1871.—(Concluded.)

Amount paid to injured parties by way of compensation or amend.	SENTENCES. PERSONS. *Imprisoned.* NOT EXCEEDING. 15 *days.* Rigorous.	15 *days.* Simple.	6 *months.* Rigorous.	6 *months.* Simple.	2 *years.* Rigorous.	2 *years.* Simple.	7 *years.* Rigorous.	7 *years.* Simple.	*Total.* Rigorous.	*Total.* Simple.	*Flogging.* Average number of stripes.	Highest number of stripes in any one case.	Persons imprisoned in default of security.
400	23	13	159	13	139	...	...	...	321	26	17	30	19
188	25	5	99	7	76	2	2	...	202	14	16	30	8
200	3	12	43	...	33	...	...	...	79	12	15	30	6
113	57	10	270	5	126	1	...	...	453	16	18	30	107
234	85	34	235	24	71	...	...	...	391	58	17	30	42
383	63	57	262	7	129	...	3	...	457	64	22	30	27
321	69	4	285	13	150	...	...	...	504	17	23	30	26
55	116	23	423	18	135	...	...	...	674	41	16	30	3
556	13	4	194	2	86	...	...	...	293	6	20	30	2
366	101	14	707	22	250	6	...	...	1,058	42	15	30	210
383	70	9	239	5	142	...	...	...	451	14	14	30	15
579	89	8	507	9	187	...	...	...	783	17	17	30	12
324	107	38	407	24	96	...	...	...	610	62	13	30	55
169	68	7	172	9	123	...	...	...	363	16	13	30	16
271	63	16	270	8	148	...	...	...	481	24	18	30	54
247	51	25	149	6	164	2	3	...	367	33	18	30	14
376	58	38	227	8	113	...	...	...	398	46	20	30	24
122	149	23	579	47	359	2	2	...	1,089	72	16	30	9
340	66	6	237	9	88	...	...	...	391	15	13	30	2
397	70	5	216	8	130	...	...	...	416	13	16	30	5
674	120	16	340	7	151	...	3	...	614	23	16	30	18
575	61	20	493	34	405	1	...	...	959	55	20	30	60
692	184	7	391	11	270	1	...	...	845	19	17	30	51
74	50	8	194	12	131	...	...	...	375	20	21	30	3
205	92	22	290	10	132	...	...	...	514	32	22	30	9
80	83	60	232	82	125	2	...	...	440	144	14	30	16
928	95	17	392	11	163	...	...	...	650	28	13	30	103
758	49	14	609	31	143	1	4	...	805	46	15	30	99
374	36	26	337	15	221	1	...	...	594	42	17	30	33
71	12	...	71	3	28	...	...	...	111	3	21	30	22
1,378	3	...	33	2	12	1	...	...	48	3	21	30	...
160	66	13	251	21	73	...	2	...	392	34	13	30	11
186	20	10	152	15	42	6	3	...	217	31	18	30	12
97	27	6	139	10	60	11	...	...	226	27	12	30	2
12,276	2,244	570	9,604	508	4,701	37	22	...	16,571	1,115	17	30	1,086

been imprisoned.

No. 4.

Statement showing the number of witnesses who attended the Magistrates Courts and the period of their detention.

District.	Number of witnesses who attended.	Number of witnesses detained.			Percentage of witnesses detained.		
		Above 1 day.	Above 3 days.	Above 7 days.	Above 1 day.	Above 3 days	Above 7 days.
Saharunpore ...	6,690	78	...	...	1	...	...
Moozuffernugger ...	5,524	905	244	101	16	4	2
Dehra Doon ...	916	...	...	...	...	...	...
Meerut	8,153	51	11	...	...	...	...
Boolundshuhur	5,848	324	28	...	6	...	...
Allygurh	9,265	21	...	...	...	...	...
Etah	6,616	200	33	...	3	...	...
Moradabad	10,697	673	18	...	6	...	...
Bijnour	4,140	194	62	...	4	1	...
Bareilly	12,160	29	...	...	...	...	...
Badaon	9,475	196	3	...	2	...	...
Shahjehanpore	8,523	216	56	...	2	...	...
Agra	10,398	273	...	...	2	...	...
Muttra	6,295	430	74	2	7	1	...
Furruckabad	9,437	90	36	...	...	...	...
Mynpoory	5,732	31	...	...	...	...	...
Etawah	6,972	202	...	...	3	...	...
Cawnpore	8,955	127	...	...	2	...	...
Humeerpore	4,187	366	23	...	8	...	...
Futtehpore	4,770	375	16	...	8	...	...
Banda	8,204	606	82	12	7	1	...
Allahabad	10,806	88	6	...	...	...	...
Goruckpore	8,152	618	56	...	7	...	...
Bustee	3,743	307	68	...	8	1	...
Azimgurh	6,401	297	...	...	4	...	...
Jounpore	6,738	922	83	...	14	1	...
Mirzapore	11,555	298	27	9	2	...	...
Benares	11,891	578	15	...	4	...	...
Ghazeepore	10,700	1,113	53	...	10	...	...
Kumaon	1,344	42	22	...	3	2	...
Gurhwal	706	26	...	...	3	...	...
Jhansie	4,302	290	38	...	7	1	...
Jaloun	2,734	59	3	...	2	...	...
Lullutpore	2,042	61	...	...	2	...	...
Total ...	2,34,071	10,086	1,057	124	4	...	...

No. 5.

Statement showing the results of the appeals from the orders of the assistants preferred to the Magistrate of the District during the year 1871.

Name and designation of Magistracy	Number of appellants.	Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed	Sentences reversed or modified	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending.
Saharunpore ...	19	1	22	24	4	...
Moozuffernugger ...	24	...	23	1	...	...
Dehra Doon ...	8	...	2	6	...	...
Meerut ...	172	22	80	66	2	2
Bolundshuhur ...	77	...	68	9	...	...
Allygurh ...	193	8	112	73	...	...
Etah ...	58	...	42	16	...	...
Moradabad ...	79	2	29	48	...	...
Bijnour ...	36	...	23	13	...	...
Bareilly ...	94	...	63	30	1	...
Budaon ...	11	...	7	4	...	...
Shahjehanpore ...	52	2	31	17	2	...
Agra ...	147	19	58	49	20	1
Muttra ...	110	...	85	11	14	...
Furruckabad ...	114	12	53	49	...	...
Mynpoory ...	32	2	16	13	1	..
Etawah ...	57	5	40	6	6	...
Cawnpore ...	55	...	33	19	...	3
Humeerpore ...	18	5	3	5	...	...
Futtehpore ...	47	2	28	17	...	...
Banda ...	32	...	15	17	...	..
Allahabad ...	56	7	17	34	.	...
Goruckpore ...	62	...	42	20	...	...
Bustee ..	85	6	42	34	...	3
Azimgurh ...	145	8	80	49	...	8
Jounpore ...	91	13	47	31	...	...
Mirzapore ...	46	12	14	19	...	1
Benares ...	101	4	68	28	1	...
Ghazeepore ...	46	...	28	1	17	...
Kumaon ...	47	2	24	5	1	15
Gurhwal ...	49	10	24	14	...	1
Jhansi ...	44	...	21	23	...	...
Jaloun ...	22	3	13	6	..	...
Lullutpore ...	6	...	6	...	...	...
Total, ...	2,262	145	1,259	755	69	34

No. 6.

Statement showing the average number of days during which each case lasted in the Courts of the Magistrates of the Districts and their Subordinates during the year 1870 *and* 1871.

District	Average duration of cases in the Magisterial Courts					
	For the year 1870.			*For the year* 1871.		
	Year.	Month.	Days.	Year.	Month.	Days.
Saharunpore	...	...	8	...	...	6
Moozuffernugger	...	...	9	...	...	13
Dehra Doon	...	...	6	...	...	4
Meerut	...	...	6	...	...	5
Boolundshuhur	...	...	8	...	...	7
Allygurh	...	...	10	...	...	12
Etah	...	...	9	...	...	12
Moradabad	...	...	10	...	...	11
Bijnour	...	...	12	...	...	9
Bareilly	...	...	5	...	...	6
Budaon	...	...	9	...	...	8
Shahjehanpore	...	...	7	...	...	6
Agra	...	...	8	...	...	7
Muttra	...	...	8	...	...	7
Furruckabad	...	...	9	...	...	10
Mynpoory	...	...	7	...	...	7
Etawah	...	...	6	...	...	8
Cawnpore	...	...	6	...	...	7
Humeerpore	...	...	7	...	...	6
Futtehpore	...	...	6	...	...	8
Banda	...	...	8	...	...	8
Allahabad	...	...	7	...	...	3
Goruckpore	...	...	12	...	...	11
Bustee	...	...	10	...	...	9
Azimgurh	...	...	9	...	...	10
Jounpore	...	...	9	...	...	13
Mirzapore	...	...	13	...	...	12
Benares	...	...	4	...	...	5
Ghazeepore	...	...	12	...	...	9
Kumaon	...	...	9	...	...	10
Gurhwal	...	...	16	...	...	14
Jhansie	...	...	8	...	...	9
Jaloun	...	...	11	...	...	8
Lullutpore	...	...	7	...	...	11
Average duration, ...	...	...	8	...	...	8

No. 7.

Statement showing the detailed result of appeals to the Sessions Court during the year 1871.

I.—Appeals.

District	Number of appellants.	Number of Persons.					Remarks.
		Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences reversed or modified	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending.	
Saharunpore ...	125	61	36	19	...	9	
Moozuffernugger ...	49	15	29	4	...	1	
Dehra Doon ...	17	3	11	3	...	...	
Meerut	121	24	81	13	..	3	
Boolundshuhur ...	106	18	48	31	...	9	
Allygurh	198	50	112	20	...	16	
Etah	111	1	61	31	...	18	
Moradabad	218	12	142	63	...	1	
Bijnour	99	2	84	11	...	2	
Bareilly	159	3	84	58	4	10	
Budoan	41	...	28	10	1	2	
Shahjehanpore ...	230	14	121	78	17	...	
Agra	110	35	59	15	...	1	
Muttra	192	31	79	70	9	...	
Furruckabad ...	138	2	111	22	...	3	
Mynpoory	60	2	43	15	...	...	
Etawah	87	...	63	19	...	5	
Cawnpore	209	43	98	48	2	18	
Humeerpore ...	67	23	31	12	1	...	
Futtehpore	72	28	30	10	..	4	
Banda	58	29	20	7	...	2	
Allahabad	125	33	72	16	3	1	
Goruckpore ...	114	2	82	28	...	2	
Bustee	39	...	37	2	...	...	
Azimgurh	60	7	23	29	...	2	
Jounpore	78	...	56	14	...	8	
Mirzapore	70	15	40	15	...	...	
Benares	166	19	91	47	..	9	
Ghazeepore	174	19	97	51	...	7	
Kumaon	181	30	112	39	...	...	
Gurhwal	39	17	19	3	...	...	
Jhansie	18	2	13	3	...	...	
Jaloun	55	4	33	18	...	...	
Lullutpore	55	4	41	10	...	...	
Total ...	3,647	551	2,092	834	37	133	

No. 8.

Statement of the detailed results of commitments to the Sessions Court during the year 1871.

II.—Commitments.

Districts.	Number of persons committed including those pending trial at the end of the last year	Persons disposed of		Persons remaining undisposed of at the end of the year	Percentage of persons convicted to total number disposed of.
		Convicted, including those whose sentences were referred for confirmation to the High Court.	Acquitted.		
Saharunpore ...	54	39	15	...	72
Moozuffernugger ...	137	94	28	15	77
Dehra Doon ...	7	3	4	...	43
Meerut ...	101	65	36	...	64·
Boolundshuhur ...	39	27	12	.	69·
Allygurh ...	92	51	23	18	69·
Etah ...	70	41	18	11	69·
Moradabad ...	123	91	12	20	88
Bijnour ...	88	59	15	14	79·
Bareilly ...	130	85	33	12	72·
Budaon ...	73G.	9	3	34	75·
Shahjehanpore ...	156	120	18	18	87·
Agra ...	92	47	40	5	54
Muttra ...	83	24	51	8	32·
Furruckabad ...	113	71	38	4	65·
Mynpoory ...	63	44	18	1	71
Etawah ...	60	42	16	2	72·
Cawnpore ...	142F.	111	27	1	80
Humeerpore ...	65	22	8	34H	73·
Futtehpore ...	86	54	21	11	72·
Banda ...	154	84	28	42	75·
Allahabad ...	135	98D	26	9	79·
Goruckpore ...	189	167	15	4A.	91·
Bustee . .	49	36	10	...B.	78·
Azimgurh ...	100	69	18	13	79·
Jounpore ...	50	27	16	7	63·
Mirzapore ...	166	123	34E	9	78·
Benares ...	286	183	74	28	71
Ghazeepore . .	90	48	24	17C.	66
Kumaon ...	25	13	12	...	52
Gurhwal ...	4	2	2	...	50·
Jhansie ...	41	28	13	...	68·
Jaloun ...	23	18	5	...	78
Lullutpore ...	3	3	...	...	100
Total ...	3,089	1,998	711	337	73

A. 3 died.
B. 3 escaped
C. 1 died.
D. 1 absconded from Jail before trial, and 1 sentenced to capital punishment.
E 2 escaped and 1 died
F. 1 Do. and 2 remanded for retrial.
G 27 transferred
H. 1 absconded

No. 9.

Statement showing the amount of business disposed of by the Sessions Judge during the year 1871.

Zillahs.	Names of Sessions Judge and District.	Commitments. Number of persons. Committed including those pending trial at the end of last year	Convicted and sentenced.	Sentenced to death referred for confirmation	Acquitted	Remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.	Appeals. Number of persons. Number of appellants	Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences modified.	Sentences reversed.	Remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.
Goruckpore ...	Mr. A. R. M. Phillipps	238	202	1	25	4A	153	2	119	11	19	2
Furruckabad	„ J. H Prinsep ...	9	9	...	.	...	10	...	7	1	2	...
	„ W. S. Patterson ...	104	60	2	38	4	128	2	104	2	17	3
Shahjehanpore	„ H. B. Henderson ...	156	108	12	18	18	230	14	121	44	34B	...
Mynpoory ...	„ R. C. Oldfield ...	123	75	11	34	3	147	2	106	8	26	5
Ghazeepore ...	„ F H Lushington...	3	3	...	...	..	25	1	18	4	2	...
	„ S. N. Martin ...	87	45	...	24	17C	149	18	79	9	36	7
Allahabad ...	„ J. W Sherer ...	...	65	1	26	...	...	28	64	1	16	...
	„ W. R. Benson ...	135D	11	...	...	9	125	4	.	1	1	1
	„ G. H. M. Ricketts...	..	12	...	...	...	...	1	8	...	...	...
Benares ...	„ M. Brodhurst ...	257	167	...	59G	28	125	7	75	18	16	9
	„ A. R. Pollock ...	29	16	...	13	...	41	12	16	2	11	...
Jounpore ...	„ M Brodhurst ...	10	6	...	1	3	31	..	18	1	4	8
	„ A. R. Pollock ...	21	6	...	15	...	32	..	24	9	...	.
	„ J. W. Power ...	19	13	2	...	4	16	...	15	...	...	. .
Mirzapore ...	„ J. W. Power ...	166	117	6	34	9	70	15	10	1	14	...
Cawnpore ...	„ G. E. Lance ...	36	28		8	...	58	2	46	4	6	...
	„ J. H Prinsep ..	137I	102	3	27	1	197	64	67	16	32	18
	„ C. Grant ...	34	...	...	.	34	21	...	16	1	1	..
Saharunpore ...	„ M B Thornhill ...	...	6	...	8	..	..	4	21	2	3	...
	„ H. G Keene ...	198	92	2	27	..	191	73	36	3	10	...
	„ W G. Probyn ...	...	35	1	12	15	...	2	16	..	8	10
Allygurh ...	„ W J. Bramly ...	133	73	1	30	29	240	50	147	17	7	28
	„ R. C. Oldfield ...	29	18	...	11	...	60	1	26	10	17	6
Agra ...	„ J B Ironside ...	10	8	...	2	...	58	1	24	16	17E.	...
	„ B. W. Colvin, ...	130	46	4	80	...	155	38	74	2	33	...
	„ W G. Probyn ...	...	...	...	...	..	25	5	11	4	2	...
	„ H. G. Keene ..	35	13	...	9	13	64	25	26	2	9F	1
Moradabad ...	„ J. R. Carnac ...	211	141	9	27	34	317	14	226	44	30	3
Banda ...	„ H. G. Keene ...	17	9	...	8	..	20	14	4	1	1	...
	„ C. Grant ...	190	101	10	37	42	98	43	44	3	6	2
	„ J. H. Prinsep ...	33	18	...	4	11	12	. .	2	6	..	4
Bareilly ...	„ H. Vansittart ...	203K	86	8	36	46	200	3	112	25	48	12
Meerut ...	„ W G Probyn ...	15	9	2	1	...	35	13	22	..	..	...
	„ G. P. Money ...	90	57	3	30		135	26	77	10	21	...
	„ G. D. Turnbull ...	35	19	2	14	.	57	3	30	12	1	12
Azimgurh ...	„ S. N Martin ...	5	3	..	2	...	17	1	6	. .	10	...
	„ W. R. Benson ...	21	15	...	6	...	28	6	5	1	16	...
	„ A. R S. Pollock ...	29	25	2	2	...	11	.	10	...	1	..
	„ G. P. Money ...	45	24	...	8	13	10	. .	7	..	1	2
Jhansie ...	„ R. M. Edwards ...	67	47	2	18	. .	128	10	87	1	30	..
Kumaon ...	„ Colonel H. Ramsay,	29	12	3	14	.	220	47	131	1	41	...
	Total ...	3,089	1,902	87	711	337	3,647	551	2,092	293	552	135

A 2 died and 4 escaped.
B 17 remanded for further investigations.
C 1 died.
D 1 absconded, and 1 sentenced to death, 3 of these committed for January, 1872, Sessions, and with regard to 6 further investigations ordered.
E 8 remanded
F 1 ditto.
G 2 escaped and 1 died
I 2 ditto and 2 remanded
K 27 transferred.

No. 10.

Statement showing Decrees of punishment inflicted by the Sessions Judges during the year 1871.

Districts.	Number of persons.													Detail of Sentences.																									
														Number of persons.																									
														Fined.							Imprisonment, Penal Servitude.																Flogging.	
																					Not exceeding.																	
																					2 Years.		Seven 7 years		Exceeding 7 years.		Total.		Transportation.		Sentenced in addition to imprisonment.							
	Fined.	Imprisoned.	Flogged.		Ordered to find security for good behaviour.	Ordered to find security to keep the peace.	Ordered to enter into recognizance.	Ordered to maintain wife and children.	Ordered to refrain from taking possession of land and water.	Imprisoned and fined.	Imprisoned and flogged.	Fined and Flogged.	Sentenced to death.	Total persons punished.	Not exceeding Rs. 200.	Not exceeding Rs. 1,000.	Exceeding Rs. 1,000.	Total number of fines.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid to injured parties by way of compensation or amend.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	For terms.	For life.	Solitary confinement.	Forfeiture of property.	Average number of stripes.	Highest number of stripes.
			Adults.	Juveniles.																																		
Saharunpore ...	5	113	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	14	...	...	3	136	19	...	...	19	425	220	...	76	3	40	1	3	...	119	4	...	4	...	...	25	25
Meerut ...	...	81	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	7	92	4	...	...	4	375	...	...	44	2	17	...	6	...	67	2	...	16	...	...	...	...
Allygurh ...	...	78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	...	...	1	92	11	2	...	13	2,400	...	...	36	1	44	...	6	...	86	1	...	4	...	...	...	...
Moradabad ...	5	104	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	32	...	...	9	150	34	2	1	37	4,530	1,091	...	41	3	58	...	4	...	103	3	1	29	...	...	...	...
Bareilly ...	2	76	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	8	93	9	...	...	9	900	675	...	17	2	41	...	12	...	70	2	...	11	...	...	...	...
Shajehanpore...	...	104	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	12	120	4	...	...	4	500	...	493	52	...	36	...	3	...	*91	...	...	17	...	...	...	...
Agra ...	...	67	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	71	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	1	20	...	8	...	61	1	...	5	...	...	...	...
Furruckabad ...	...	57	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	2	...	2	71	6	4	...	10	2,170	134	20	8	6	32	...	10	...	50	6	...	13	...	...	30	30
Mynpoory ...	...	74	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	11	86	...	...	1	1	3,000	500	...	25	...	33	...	9	...	67	...	...	8	...	...	...	...
Cawnpore ...	2	115	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	3	133	12	...	...	12	1,455	606	192	39	1	69	...	5	...	113	1	...	11	...	...	17	20
Banda ...	...	120	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	10	138	8	...	...	8	225	...	...	37	1	66	...	11	...	114	1	...	13	...	...	...	...
Allahabad ...	...	89	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	1	99	6	...	...	6	650	400	50	44	2	36	...	6	...	86	3	...	6	...	...	20	20
Goruckpore ...	...	197	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	3	202	2	...	...	2	150	...	...	11	3	153	...	20	...	184	3	...	12	...	...	...	...
Azimgurh ...	4	63	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	2	73	4	...	...	4	250	...	...	13	4	31	...	8	...	52	4	...	11	...	...	20	30
Jounpore ...	..	23	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	27	1	1	...	2	700	200	...	11	...	10	...	4	...	25	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mirzapore ...	...	75	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42	...	...	6	123	41	1	...	42	2,150	467	...	34	1	58	...	11	...	103	1	...	13	...	...	...	...
Benares ...	8	162	2	4	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	183	13	2	...	15	2,150	1,650	500	40	4	95	2	21	...	156	6	...	7	...	...	16	20
Ghazeepore ...	...	44	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	48	4	...	...	4	200	6	...	10	...	32	...	1	...	43	...	...	5	...	...	...	...
Kumaon ...	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	8	...	...	...	10	...	...	2	...	...	...	...
Jhansie ...	...	37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	2	49	2	6	2	10	6,120	250	...	9	5	16	4	6	...	31	9	...	7	...	...	...	...
Total ...	26	1691	6	7	...	...	...	...	...	176	6	...	89	2,001	180	18	4	202	28,350	6,199	1,255	582	39	895	8	154	...	1651	47	1	194	...	...	21	30

* Out of these, 1 person has been imprisoned to terms.

No. 11.

Statement showing the particulars of trials held by the Sessions Judges with the aid of Assessors during the year 1871.

Name of District	Average number of assessors in each case.	Number of cases tried with assessors	Number of persons of each class employed as assessors.							Number of cases in which Judge agreed with assessors.	Number of cases in which Judge differed from assessors.	Number of persons fined for non-attendance	Amount of fines imposed.	Remarks.
			Pleaders	Bankers or traders.	Engaged in service.	Agriculturists	Landholders	Other classes	Total.					
Saharunpore ...	3	33	2	48	.	...	48	1	99	29	4	3	8	
Moozuffernugger ...	3	54	...	61	...	..	81	17	162	50	4	..	...	
Dehra Doon ...	3	6	3	9	...	...	-	4	18	5	1		..	
Meerut	3	52	.	28	53	...	51	24	156	44	8	1	10	
Boolundshuhur .	3	24		11	23	..	34	4	72	23	1	.	...	
Allygurh ...	3	36		17	3	...	55	4	99	32	4	..	...	
Etah ...	3	42	...	33	4		81	1	119	34	8	...	...	
Moradabad	3	56	...	14	2		25	..	41	45	11	...	...	
Bijnour ...	3	39	.	1		.	25	...	26	30	9	...	...	
Bareilly ..	3	68	...	15	8	.	42	16	81	65	3	...	...	
Budaon ...	3	8	...	..	..		24	...	24	8	.	...	...	
Shahjehanpore ..	3	60	...	37	14	...	124	5	180	54	6	7	23	
Agra ...	3	44	47	52	9	1	13	4	126	35	9	2	10	
Muttra .	3	30	32	41	2	1	11	1	88	26	4	..	...	
Furruckabad ...	3	10	...	5	13	...	27	100	145	30	19	20	162	
Mynpoory ...	3	37	...	...	...	...	109	..	109	23	14	...	...	
Etawah ...	3	29	...	30	5	.	48	...	83	21	8	..	..	
Cawnpore .	3	80	42	91	26	...	59	15	233	55	21	A	.	
Humeerpore ...	3	21	3	6	...	6	47	...	62	17	4	...	...	
Futtehpore ...	3	27	1	26	6	11	34	...	81	24	3		...	
Banda ...	3	44	2	45	5	8	51	18	132	40	4	...	...	
Allahabad ...	3	71	3	84	25	...	75	26	213	69	2	...	...	
Goruckpore ...	3	63	.	85	...	...	93	11	189	43	20	4	20	
Bustee .	2	30	...	21		.	49	10	80	25	5	...	...	
Azimgurh ...	3	19	7	4	.	...	136		147	40	9	..	...	
Jounpore ...	4	20	..	54	1	...	16	10	81	19	1	..	...	
Mirzapore ...	6	86	...	150	50	60	200	25	485	70	16	1	50	
Benares .	3	81	...	237	26	1	48	40	352	77	7	2	35	
Ghazeepore ...	3	39	...	22	2	...	87	3	114	36	3	...	...	
Kumaon ...	3	19	...	18	11	...	27	1	57	15	4	...	...	
Gurhwal ..	3	4	..	1	3		7	1	12	2	2	...	...	
Jhansie ...	3	18	14	20	..	.	15	5	54	13	5	...	...	
Jaloun .	3	4	...	3	...	...	6	3	12	3	1	...	...	
Lullutpore ...	3	2	...	3	...	...	1	2	6	2	...	...	...	
Total	3	328	156	1,292	294	91	1,754	351	3,938	101	220	40	318	

A. In 3 cases 4 persons accused pleaded guilty and the verdicts of the assessors were not taken.

No. 12.

Statement showing the average number of days during which each trial and appeal lasted in the Court of the Sessions Judge during the year 1871.

District.	Trial of committed cases.		Appeals.	
	Number of trials disposed of during the year 1871.	Average number of days during which each trial lasted.	Number of appeals disposed of during the year 1871.	Average number of days during which each appeal lasted.
Saharunpore				
Moozuffernuggur	93	27	119	12
Dehra Doon				
Meerut	60	22	68	14
Boolundshuhur	24	56	50	16
Allygurh	36	8	92	10
Etah	42	8	67	14
Moradabad	60	63	107	34
Bijnour	41	13	42	25
Bareilly	70	43	149	29
Budaon	8	54	39	42
Shahjehanpore	61	17	117	15
Agra	44	20	89	13
Muttra	30	35	106	14
Furruckabad	50	19	96	15
Mynpoory	37	11	37	15
Etawah	29	59	63	18
Cawnpore	80	16	133	8
Humeerpore	21	53	26	17
Futtehpore	27	50	32	15
Banda	44	76	32	13
Allahabad	70	1	89	8
Goruckpore	65	55	62	14
Bustee	30	49	24	12
Azimgurh	49	42	41	20
Jounpore	22	5	47	11
Mirzapore	86	10	49	5
Benares	102	4	115	14
Ghazeepore	40	39	99	17
Kumaon	19	5	74	15
Gurhwal	4	6	37	22
Jhansie	18	67	15	17
Jaloun	4	45	32	11
Lullutpore	2	20	42	14
Total ...	1,368	30	2,190	16

No. 13.

1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.
		Number of Persons whose cases were disposed of by this Court.										
		Old Law.					*New Law.*					
Zillah.	Names of Sessions Judges.	Number of persons whose cases were referred to this Court.	Number of persons whose sentences passed agreed with Sessions Judges' recommendation.	Number of persons in which it differed.	Number of persons acquitted by this Court.	Total.	Number of persons sentenced to death referred to this Court for confirmation.	Number of persons in which sentences of death was passed by Sessions Judges and confirmed by this Court.	Number of persons in which it was modified.	Number of persons acquitted by this Court.	Total.	Grand total.
Goruckpore ...	W. R. Benson ...	4	1	...	3	4	...	...	...	...	...	4
	A. L. M. Phillipps,	1	...	1	...	1	4	2	1	1	4	5
Furruckabad ...	J. H. Prinsep ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	W. Paterson ...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	2	2
Shahjehanpore ...	H. B. Henderson ...	2	2	...	...	2	12	12	...	...	12	14
Mynpoory ...	R. C. Oldfield ...	1	...	...	1	1	8	7	1	...	8	9
Ghazeepore ...	H. Lushington ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	S. N. Martin ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Allahabad ...	J. W. Sherer ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1
	W. R. Benson ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mirzapore ...	J. W. Power ...	...	...	...	...	...	8	6	1	1	8	8
Benares ...	M. Brodhurst ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	A. R. S. Pollock ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cawnpore ...	G. E. Lance ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	J. H. Prinsep ...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	3	3
Saharunpore ...	M. B. Thornhill ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	H. G. Keene ...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	2	2
	W. G. Probyn ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	1
Allygurh ...	W. J. Bramly ...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	1	...	2	2
Agra ...	J. B. Ironside ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	B. W. Colvin ...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	...	4	4
	H. G. Keene ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moradabad ...	W. J. R. Carnac ...	...	...	...	...	...	10	8	1	1	10	10
Banda ...	H. G. Keene ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	C. Grant ...	...	...	...	...	...	5	4	1	...	5	5
Bareilly ...	H. Vansittart ...	...	...	...	...	...	8	6	2	...	8	8
Meerut ...	W. G. Probyn ...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	1	2	2
	G. P. Money ...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	...	...	5	5
Azimgurh ...	S. N. Martin ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	A. R. S Pollock ...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	2	2
	W. R. Benson ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	G. P. Money ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jhansie ...	G. M. Ricketts ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	J. Davidson ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	P. J. White ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	R. M. Edwards ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kumaon ...	H. Ramsay ...	...	...	...	...	...	4	3	1	...	4	4
	Total ...	8	3	1	4	8	83	65	12	6	83	91

No. 13.—(*Concluded.*)

1.	2.	14.	15.	16.	17.	18.	19.	20.	21.	22.	23.	24.
		Number of Persons whose cases were appealed or called for on perusal of Monthly Statement.				Number of Persons whose cases were submitted under Section 54 and 434, and called for under Section 404, Act XXV. of 1861.						
Zillah.	Names of Sessions Judges.	Number in which order was confirmed.	Number modified or remanded.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Number confirmed.	Number modified.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Percentage of Columns 4 and 9 to Columns 3 and 8.	Percentage of Columns 14 and 18 to total of Columns 17 and 21.	Remarks.
Goruckpore ...	W. R. Benson ...	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	25	100	
	A. L. M. Phillipps...	25	18	8	51	16	8	...	24	40	55	
Furruckabad ...	J. H. Prinsep ...	3	9	...	12	2	...	...	2	...	35	
	W. Paterson ...	22	5	2	29	1	...	1	2	...	74	
Shahjehanpore ...	H. B. Henderson ...	24	2	2	28	4	2	...	6	100	82	
Mynpoory ...	R. C. Oldfield ...	18	4	...	22	8	...	1	9	77	84	
Ghazeepore ...	H. Lushington ...	4	1	...	5	9	...	...	9	...	93	
	S. N. Martin ...	15	5	3	23	3	...	...	3	...	69	
Allahabad ...	J. W. Sherer ...	20	4	6	30	1	6	1	8	100	55	
	W. R. Benson ...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	100	
Mirzapore ...	J. W. Power ...	30	20	3	53	5	9	1	15	75	51	
Benares ...	M. Brodhurst ...	34	18	...	52	11	4	...	15	...	67	
	A. R. S. Pollock ...	11	...	1	12	2	...	3	5	...	76	
Cawnpore ...	G. E. Lance ...	4	9	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	31	
	J. H. Prinsep ...	17	4	1	22	4	...	...	4	100	81	
Saharunpore ...	M. B. Thornhill ...	1	2	...	3	5	...	...	5	...	75	
	H. G. Keene ...	38	7	4	49	7	...	2	9	100	77	
	W. G. Probyn ...	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	9	...	100	
Allygurh ...	W. J. Bramly ...	17	2	6	25	5	12	...	17	50	52	
Agra ...	J. B. Ironside ...	3	...	...	3	8	3	...	11	...	78	
	B. W. Colvin ...	11	1	...	12	7	1	...	8	100	90	
	H. G. Keene ...	...	2	...	2	1	1	...	2	...	25	
Moradabad ...	W. J. R. Carnac ...	49	15	14	78	19	2	3	24	80	66	
Banda ...	H. G. Keene ...	1	1	1	3	4	1	...	5	...	62	
	C. Grant ...	29	4	4	37	5	...	...	5	80	81	
Bareilly ...	H. Vansittart ...	6	3	...	9	6	...	...	6	75	80	
Meerut ...	W. G. Probyn ...	27	2	...	29	7	...	...	7	50	94	
	G. P. Money ...	12	3	3	18	9	2	4	15	100	64	
Azimgurh ...	S. N. Martin ...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	A. R. S. Pollock ...	1	11	1	13	...	...	...	...	...	7	
	W. R. Benson ...	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	100	
	G. P. Money ...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Jhansie ...	G. M. Ricketts ...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	100	
	J. Davidson ...	1	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	50	
	P. J. White ...	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	100	
	R. M. Edwards ...	3	2	...	5	5	3	1	9	...	57	
Kumaon ...	H. Ramsay ...	3	...	...	3	4	...	...	4	75	100	
	Total ...	435	155	62	652	169	54	17	240	74	67	

No. 14.

Statement of Business disposed of in the High Court of Judicature, at Allahabad, in the year 1871.

ORIGINAL SIDE.

	Suits, &c.			*Before.*					
	Remaining from the year 1870.	Filed in the year 1871.	Disposed of on merits.	One Civilian Judge.	One Barrister Judge.	One Barrister and one Civilian Judge.	One Barrister and two Civilian Judges.	Otherwise disposed.	Days of sitting.
					Cases				
Criminal Trials	...	14	14	...	14	...	...	...	9 days.

Besides this, one Civilian Judge was on deputation at Bareilly. He decided ten Original Cases in eight days.

No. 15.

Statement showing nature of the Penalties inflicted under the judgment of the High Court.

Penalties.	1871.	1870.
Death	65	88
Transportation for life	14	16
Ditto above 7 years and not exceeding 14 years	2	3
Imprisonment for life	...	...
Ditto above 12 and not exceeding 21 years	3	...
Ditto above 5 or not exceeding 10 years	30	47
Ditto not exceeding 5 years	84	116
The average duration of cases in the High Court was 15 days	...	...

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. II.

Statement of Offences reported, and Persons tried, convicted, and acquitted for each Offence in the North-Western Provinces, in the year 1871.

	Section of the Penal Code.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
Class I.							
Offences against the State, the Public and Justice.							
Waging war against the Queen	121	...	...	...	...	...	
Collecting arms or concealing attempt to wage war	122 and 123	1	1	...	1	...	
War or depredation on allied powers	125—127	1	3	1	2	...	
Abetment of mutiny	131 and 132	...	...	...	...	...	
Relating to Coin, Stamps, Weights, and Measures.							
Counterfeiting coin	231—238	10	18	2	12	...	4 Committed.
Diminishing or altering coin...	246—259	3	4	2	1	...	1 Ditto.
Passing or possessing bad or altered coin	239—243, 250—254	100	107	39	63	4	1 Died.
Counterfeiting stamp or selling same	255—259	1	1	...	1	...	
Using as genuine, counterfeit stamp or effacing or altering the same,	260—263	10	3	...	3	...	
Making, using, or possessing false weights or measures ...	264—267	169	258	65	191	2	
Against Public Justice.							
Personating public servant or soldier	140, 170, 171	33	40	11	26	2	1 Transferred.
Concealing design to commit offence	118—120	1	4	4	...	...	
Omitting to give information of offence or giving false information,	176 and 177, 181 and 182, 202 and 203	494	814	198	602	14	
Causing disappearance of evidence	201—204	19	50	20	24	6	
Resisting, obstructing, or omitting to assist public servant ...	183—187, 189 and 190	288	719	243	474	2	
Disobedience of lawful order causing injury	188	566	1,923	301	1,621	1	
Intentional insult or interruption in judicial proceeding ...	228	231	262	2	260	...	

Harbouring an offender	212—216	23	33	17	14	2	
Taking gift to screen offender	213—215	105	180	91	85	4	
Resistance to lawful apprehension and rescue	224 and 225	148	273	79	185	8	1 Absconded.
Escape from lawful custody or transportation	224—226	64	84	12	70	2	
Absconding from, avoiding, or disobeying summons or notice to attend or produce, or refusing to answer or sign	172—175 178—180	320	623	116	505	2	
Failure to attend as juror or assessor	C. P. C. 354	1	1	...	1	...	
By Public Servants.							
Taking valuable thing by or to influence public servant ...	161—165	113	181	97	79	5	
Public servant acting illegally to injure any person	166 and 167	11	14	9	5	...	
Public servant unlawfully trading	168 and 169	...	...	...	...	...	
Public servant fradulently defeating punishment or forfeiture ...	217 and 218	10	14	10	4	...	
Public servant wilfully making order or decision contrary to law,	219 and 220	3	5	2	3	...	
Ditto ditto intentionally omitting to apprehend or permitting to escape	221 and 222	13	21	4	17	...	
Ditto ditto negligently suffering escape	129—223	48	71	22	48	1	
Breach of Police Act by Police Officers	Act V. of 1861	325	501	41	448	12	
False evidence, False complaint, or claims and Forgery.							
Giving false evidence	193—199	246	459	158	272	15	14 Transferred, escaped, and committed.
Fabricating false evidence	193—196	7	14	8	6	...	
Making, using, or using false statement or certificate	197—200	3	3	2	1	...	
False personation in judicial proceeding	205—229	11	15	1	14	...	
Fraudulent claim to, or concealment of property, or suffering or decree	206—208 421—424	22	43	25	18	...	
False claim in Court of Justice	209 and 210	16	25	13	12	...	
False charge of offence	211	178	217	96	111	3	7 Committed.
Frivolous or vexatious complaint	270, C. P. C.	324	384	6	378	...	
Forgery or fraudulently using or possessing forged document ...	465, 466, 467 468, 469, 471 473—477	115	254	128	107	16	3 Escaped.
Making or using false trade-marks	482—489	26	1	1	...	...	
Public Nuisances.							
Public nuisances under Penal Code	269—294	1,624	1,570	211	1,355	4	
Nuisances under Police, or Municipal, and Local Act	...	4,702	9,642	905	8,730	7	
Relating to the Public Peace.							
Rioting or unlawful assembly	143—153 157 and 158	312	2,261	666	1,517	76	2 Died.
Omitting to inform or prevent riot	154—156	4	20	...	20	...	
Affray	160	349	1,709	238	1,467	4	
Offences relating to religion	295—298	23	53	27	26	...	

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Statement of Offences reported, and Persons tried, convicted, and acquitted for each Offence in the North-Western Provinces, in the year 1871.

	Section of the Penal Code.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
CLASS II.							
Offences against the Person.							
Murder by thugs	302 and 303	...	...	...	...	...	
Ditto by dacoits		2	9	3	...	6	
Ditto by robbers		21	28	4	24	...	
Ditto by poison ... { For sake of robbery		4	11	3	7	...	1 Escaped.
{ From other motives		10	11	4	7	...	
Other murders ... { From motives connected with women,		42	81	15	64	...	2 Committed.
{ From other motives		243	561	158	336	34	33 Ditto and transferred.
Attempt to murder	307	51	79	16	58	...	5 Ditto ditto.
Culpable homicide	304—308	263	766	206	527	28	5 Ditto ditto.
Abetment of suicide	305 and 306	7	12	3	9	...	
Attempt to commit suicide	309	644	491	193	291	1	6 Ditto ditto and died.
Causing miscarriage	312—316	28	35	20	14	...	1 Died.
Exposure of infant, or concealment of birth	317 and 318	130	125	35	84	3	3 Died and committed.
Grievous hurt	325 and 326	1,073	2,017	571	1,373	69	4 Transferred.
Grievous hurt on grave and sudden provocation	335	24	90	35	55	...	
Hurt	323 and 334	8,858	9,887	4,574	5,239	65	9 Died, transferred and committed.
Hurt by dangerous weapons	324	129	221	59	151	11	
Administering stupefying drugs	328	35	39	3	34	2	
Causing hurt to extort property or confession	327 329—333	44	132	42	90	...	
Act dangerous to life and safety	336 and 337	7	12	2	10	...	
Wrongful restraint	341	515	678	377	294	7	
Ditto confinement	342—346	242	252	169	77	6	
Ditto ditto to extort property or confession ...	347 and 348	48	82	54	28	...	
Assault or use of criminal force	352, 355, 358	5,073	7,611	3,468	4,093	29	7 Transferred.

Ditto ditto to debtor, a public servant, from discharge of his duty	353—356	15	39	23	16	...	
Criminal intimidation or insult	504—509	342	366	199	167	...	
Causing annoyance in state of intoxication	510	38	48	1	47	...	
Unlawful compulsion of labour	374	5	6	2	4	...	
Buying or disposing of any person as a slave	370 and 371	5	7	...	7	...	
Kidnapping or abduction	363—365 367—369	159	261	102	127	15	17 Transferred.
Abducting a woman to compel marriage, or defilement	366	11	84	9	22	...	3 Ditto.
Selling, letting, or unlawfully obtaining a woman for purposes of prostitution	372 and 373	25	56	30	15	...	11 Ditto.
Enticing a married woman with criminal intent	498	1,531	1,393	1,038	320	9	25 Ditto.
Fraudulent or unlawful marriages	493—496	46	57	51	5	1	
Adultery	497	63	65	47	17	...	1 Committed.
Rape	376	238	210	116	83	4	7 Ditto.
Unnatural offences	377	67	59	13	41	3	2 Ditto.
Defamation	500—502	180	189	111	76	2	

CLASS III.

OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY WITH VIOLENCE.

Dacoity	395,397,398	80	332	109	201	6	16 Transferred and committed.
Preparation or assembly for dacoity	399—402	1	10	2	8	...	
Robbery with hurt or deadly weapons. By poisoning or stupefying drugs	394, 397, 398	31	55	29	21	1	4 Committed.
Robbery with hurt or deadly weapons. By other means ...	394, 397, 398	34	77	25	52	...	
Robbery ... ... In a dwelling-house	392 and 393	4	13	1	12	...	
Robbery ... ... On the highway	392 and 393	98	121	69	44	8	
Robbery ... ... Elsewhere	392 and 393	237	212	91	107	5	9 Committed and transferred.
Extortion ... ... In a dwelling-house	384—389	14	5	...	5	...	
Extortion ... ... On the highway	384—389	7	11	8	3	...	
Extortion ... ... Elsewhere	384—389	456	453	336	110	6	1 Committed.
House-breaking or house-trespass in order to commit theft ...	451—454 457	20,238	2,913	742	2,100	65	6 Transferred and died.
House-breaking or house-trespass in order to commit an offence other than theft	449 and 450 451—454 457	698	113	46	67	...	
House-breaking or house-trespass with preparation for or attempt at hurt	452—455 458—460	27	33	8	30	...	
House-breaking or lurking house-trespass	453—456	2,233	210	55	148	6	1 Transferred.
Theft of cattle	379, 380, 381	3,073	1,832	578	1,147	61	46 Ditto and died.
Theft, ordinary	379, 380, 381	22,541	10,680	2,884	7,594	167	35 Ditto ditto and committed.
Dishonestly receiving stolen property	411—414	2,693	4,744	1,565	3,032	72	75 Ditto ditto ditto.
Dishonest misappropriation of property	403 and 404	377	584	255	329	...	
Criminal breach of trust	406—409	732	564	276	298	13	7 Transferred and committed.
Cheating	417—420	552	567	321	226	17	3 Transferred.

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	Section of the Penal Code.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
Malicious Offences.							
Mischief, ordinary	426 and 427 430—433	4,101	5,093	2,739	2,333	25	1 Died.
Mischief by poisoning or killing cattle	428 and 429	904	115	46	64	5	
Mischief by destroying land-marks	434	25	37	18	19	...	
Serious mischief by fire	435, 436, 438	189	109	83	24	2	
Criminal-trespass or house-trespass	447 and 448	1,209	2,653	1,450	1,178	25	
Breaking closed receptacle	461 and 462	3	1	1	...	...	
CLASS IV.							
Not included in the above Classes.							
Belonging to a gang of thugs	311	...	...	...	...	...	
Ditto ditto of dacoits	400	1	1	1	...	...	
Ditto ditto of thieves	411	4	26	22	3	1	
Vagrancy without ostensible means of livelihood	295, C. P. C.	370	749	223	495	21	10 Escaped and transferred.
Bad habit and repute	296 and 297, C. P. C.	595	1,334	427	885	14	8 Died, committed and transferred.
Criminal breaches of contract of service	490, 491, 492	55	74	34	40	...	
Breaches of Special Laws for the Protection of the Revenue and other subjects.							
To excise spirits and drugs, Act XXI. of 1856	...	731	1,083	280	787	14	2 Transferred.
,, Opium	...	105	161	41	120	...	
,, Salt and saltpetre	...	488	844	69	766	9	
,, Sea and land customs	...	68	102	5	97	...	
,, Stamps	...	58	119	13	106	...	
,, Paper currency	...	...	...	...	...	...	

69	Mint...	...	...	..	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	
70	Post-office	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	15	7	8	...		
71	Electric Telegraph	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	..		
72	Payment of watchmen	...	...	..	...	...	...	6	17	12	5	...		
73	Municipalities	..	..	...	..	...	...	4,460	8,508	1,010	7,490		8	
74	Jails	...	...	...		...	...	280	312	67	244	..		1 Transferred.
75	Forests	...		...	...	...	...	3	3		3	...		
76	Ferries	...	...	.	...	...	...	13	21	3	18	...		
77	Canals	.	...	...	...	...	...	1,278	4,600	848	3,746		6	
78	Railways	...	...	...	...	.	...	246	412	73	337		2	
79	Tools	...	...		...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..		
80	Stage-coaches	...		...	...	...	...	84	98	18	80	...		
81	Press	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	..		...		
82	Gaming and lotteries	...	.	..	...		.	220	1,416	240	1,164		12	
83	Wandering and dangerous lunatics				...	...	...	1	1	...	...	..		1 Transferred.
84	Cattle-trespass	...	...	..	...	...	...	435	846	283	560		3	
85	Possession of arms	.	..		...	...	...	199	241	58	183	...		
86	Foreigners	...	...	...	...	...	.	...	...	...	...	.		
87	Emigration	.	..	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	...		
	Contempt of Court ...	...	...	...	...	163	C C P.,	33	43	5	38	...		
	Proceeding to compel payment of penalty by accused				...	219	C P C.,	18	28	1	27	...		
	Ditto ditto ditto by sureties					220	Ditto,	10	16	...	16	...		
	Personal recognizance to keep the peace ...				...	280	Ditto,	520	2,201	165	2,034	...		2 Transferred
	Security to keep the peace ...				...	281 and 282	Ditto,	548	1,765	236	1,528		1	
	Maintainance to wife and children				...	316	Ditto,	202	153	72	81	...		
	Breach of sections	...	...	...	...	288,	293 Ditto,	115	276	66	205		5	
	Proceeding connected with disputed right in land or water				...	Chap. XXII. C P C.,		116	201	33	167		1	
	Mookhtyars	...	...	...	...	Act XX. of 1865,		1	1	1			1	
	Buying property of European Soldiers				...	Act XXI. of 1869,		2	2	1	1	...		
	Escape of prisoners from Jail during mutiny				...		...	2	5	...	3		1	1 Transferred.
	Income-tax	...	...	...	...		...	59	76	25	51			
	Neglect of duty	...	. .	...	...		...	89	141	32	109	.		
	Vagrancy, Europeans		...	...	...			2	2	...	2	..		
	Breach of cantonment rules	...	.	...	.		...	401	615	67	548			
	Octroi-tax	...			.	Act VI. of 1868,		25	34	5	27		2	
	Registration	...	...		...	318	C P C,	2	9	4	5	...		
	Throwing dirt into street	..	...	..	...	Act XX of 1867,		129	304	26	278			
	Breach of lock hospital	. .	...		...	Act XXII. of 1862,		31	36	4	32	...		
	Breach of Act XXV of 1870	. .	...	. .	...		...	1	1	1				
	Infanticide	...	...	...	.	Act VIII. of 1870,		29	26	2	23		1	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. II.—(*Concluded.*)

Statement of Offences reported, and Persons tried, convicted, and acquitted for each Offence, in the North Western Provinces, in the year 1871.

	Section of the Penal Code.	Number of offences reported during the year	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted	Remaining under trial.	Remarks
Title rules	Act XXII. of 1864,	24	64	17	47	...	
Breach of quarry rules	...	1	1	...	1	...	
Giving liquor to European Soldiers	...	2	3	1	2	...	
Breach of Act XVI. of 1861	...	7	8	4	4	...	
Ditto of Act I. of 1861	...	1	1	...	1	...	
Ditto of License-tax	...	1	2	2	...	...	
Ditto of rules of serais and puraos	...	3	28	...	28	...	
Ditto of Regulation VIII of 1799	...	10	4	4	...	...	
Inoculation	...	1	1	1	...	...	
Total	...	108,425	107,663	81,939	74,916	1,103	406 Transferred, died, escaped, and committed.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. III. (CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing the general result of Criminal Trials in the tribunals of various classes in the North-Western Provinces, in the year 1871.

Class of Tribunals.	Number of persons dealt with.					Persons disposed of.								Remarks.
	Remaining at end of last year.	Brought to trial during the present year.		Received by transfer.	Total.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	Remaining at end of the year.	Average number of days during which each case lasted.	Number of witnesses who attended.	
		By arrest.	By summons or recognizance.											
Village Officers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Unpaid Magistrates	3	3,614	7,415	2	11,034	2,340	1,067	7,595	1	1	30	7	17,290	
Local and Subordinate paid Magistrates	178	10,535	22,856	12	33,581	5,298	4,099	23,812	61	107	204	9	65,664	
Full power Magistrates exercising jurisdiction throughout the District	647	29,877	25,235	418	56,177	9,029	8,709	34,959	2,478	218	784	10	1,39,093	
Chief Magistrates of Districts	142	3,364	3,329	86	6,871	731	666	4,909	401	80	84	8	12,024	
Total Magistracy	970	47,390	58,835	468	1,07,663	17,398	14,541	71,275	2,941	406	1,102	8	2,34,071	
Sessions Court	237	2,627	61	213	3,138	37	690	1,930	90	54	237	16	12,798	
High Court	...	14	...	...	14	...	3	11	...	...	...	...	87	
Grand Total ...	1,207	50,031	58,896	681	1,10,815	17,435	15,234	73,216	3,031	460	1,439	12	2,46,956	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. IV. (CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing the Punishments inflicted by various Criminal Tribunals in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1871.

	By village Officers.	By unpaid Magistrates.	By Sub-Local paid Magistrates.	By full power Magistrates of general jurisdiction.	By Chief Magistrates of Districts.	By Sessions Court.	By High Court.	Total.	Remarks.
Fined	...	6,696	19,596	16,464	1,965	26	...	44,747	
Imprisoned	...	335	3,169	10,272	1,125	1,691	...	16,592	
Flogged	...	55	459	2,458	308	13	...	3,293	
Ordered to find security	...	...	176	2,476	446	...	...	3,098	
Imprisoned and fined	...	97	719	1,426	134	176	...	2,552	
Ditto and flogged	...	8	53	280	67	6	...	414	
Death	...	...	...	...	...	89	...	89	
Total persons punished	...	7,191	24,172	33,376	4,045	2,001	...	70,785	
Fines not exceeding Rs. 5	...	6,346	17,820	11,607	1,539	8	...	37,320	
Ditto ditto „ 50	...	447	2,465	5,976	505	104	...	9,497	
Ditto ditto „ 200	...	...	29	273	54	68	...	424	
Ditto ditto „ 1,000	...	...	...	31	11	18	...	60	
Fines exceeding „ 1,000	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	4	
Total, No. fines	...	6,793	20,314	17,887	2,109	202	...	47,305	
Total amount of fines	...	14,839	73,027	1,72,039	26,812	28,350	...	3,15,067	
Amount realized	...	13,822	60,943	1,29,208	19,489	6,199	...	2,29,661	
Ditto paid to injured parties by way of compensation or compromise.	...	634	3,253	6,243	2146	1,255	...	13,531	
Sentences of imprisonment not exceeding 15 days — Rigorous	...	138	1,172	772	162	6	...	2,250	
Sentences of imprisonment not exceeding 15 days — Simple	...	32	233	280	25	5	...	575	
Ditto 6 months — Rigorous	...	261	2,262	6,540	541	208	...	9,812	
Ditto 6 months — Simple	...	5	66	370	67	18	...	526	
Ditto 2 years — Rigorous	...	4	102	4,111	484	401	...	5,102	
Ditto 2 years — Simple	...	...	6	17	14	15	...	52	
Ditto 7 years — Rigorous	...	...	...	12	10	837	...	859	
Ditto 7 years — Simple	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	8	
Exceeding 7 years — Rigorous	...	...	...	...	...	179	...	179	
Exceeding 7 years — Simple	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	
Total — Rigorous	...	403	3,536	11,435	1,197	1,631	...	18,202	
Total — Simple	...	37	305	667	106	47	...	1,162	
Penal servitude — For terms	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	
Penal servitude — For life	...	...	...	...	...	194	...	194	
Sentenced in addition to imprisonment to — Solitary Confinement	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Sentenced in addition to imprisonment to — Forfeiture of property,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	

N. B.—This statement disagrees with foregoing punishment statement, because certain kinds of punishments in them entered are not inserted in this. The form is faulty.

W. TYRRELL,
Offg. Registrar.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. V. (CRIMINAL).

Statement showing the result of Appeal and Revision in Criminal Cases in the North-Western Provinces, during the year 1871.

Tribunals.	Number of persons or appellants, and whose cases were called for by High Court.	Number of persons						Remarks.
		Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences modified.	Sentences reversed.	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending.	
Magistrates of Districts. { Appeals from unpaid Magistrates ...	1,912	131	1,034	237	412	66	32	
Magistrates of Districts. { Appeals from paid Magistrates ...	350	14	225	39	67	3	2	
Sessions Court. { Appeals from unpaid Magistrates ...	8	...	4	3	...	1	...	
Sessions Court. { Appeals from paid Magistrates ...	3,639	551	2,088	307	524	36	133	
High Court	686	A 113	435	136	62	19	34	

A. These cases were not called for by the High Court, almost all of them have been received by post and rejected.

High Court of Judicature, N.-W. P.:
The 19th July, 1872.

W. TYRRELL,
Offg. Registrar.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. XI. (CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing use of Juries and Assessors in Criminal Courts of the North-Western Provinces in the year 1871.

Classes of Courts in which Juries or Assessors are employed distinguishing Criminal from Civil Courts.	Established or average number of Jury or Assessors in each case and prescribed qualification.	Number of cases tried by Jury.	Number of cases with Assessors.	Jury Trials.			Assessors Trials.		Note showing in what classes of cases Juries and Assessors have been principally employed.	Remarks.
				Verdict in favour of the prosecutor or plaintiff.	Verdict in favour of the accused or defendant.	Jury discharged without verdict.	Number of cases in which Judges agreed with Assessors.	Number of cases in which Judges differed from Assessors.		
Sessions Judges Courts in North-Western Provinces	3	...	328	...	...	...	104	220	...	Assessors were only employed in criminal cases, committed to the Sessions Court. Juries were employed in all criminal cases.
High Court, North-Western Provinces ...	12	14	...	11	3	...	...	...	...	
Total ...	...	14	328	11	3	...	104	220	...	

In 3 cases, 4 persons accused pleaded guilty, and the verdicts of the Assessors were not taken.

High Court of Judicature, N.-W. P.:
The 19th July, 1872.

W. TYRRELL,
Offg. Registrar.

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NOTES ON THE CRIMINAL STATEMENTS FOR 1872.

1. The statement exhibiting the criminal work of the Courts of the Magistrates in the North-Western Provinces for the year 1872 shows a considerable increase of crime reported, prosecuted, and disposed of.

2. 119,569 offences were reported in the year; 63,239 were prosecuted, and 115,949 persons were brought to trial; of whom, 35,211 were acquitted or discharged, 79,146 were convicted or committed to the higher Courts, and 1,242 persons were awaiting trial at the end of the year.

3. The subjoined table gives these figures with those of the three preceding years.

Year.	Reported.	Prosecuted.	Under trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted and committed.	Undisposed of.
In 1870 ...	109,339	60,661	114,399	34,748	78,132	1,003
„ 1871 ...	108,425	56,682	107,663	31,939	74,216	1,002
„ 1872 ...	119,569	63,239	115,949	35,211	79,146	1,242

4. From these figures it appears that there was a general increase as compared with the returns of 1870 and 1871; but the figures of the year under review are still considerably lower than they were in 1869.

5. The increase in 1872 is attributed, by many Magistrates, to improved police action; and it is certain that the returns for that year were not unduly swelled, as in former years, by a mass of prosecutions and convictions for the pettiest misdemeanours and infringements of local rules and bye-laws.

6. Looking to the considerable increase in the number of persons who came under trial, the increase in the pending file at the end of the year was not unreasonable.

7. The heaviest files were in the districts of Goruckpore (101), Bareilly (99), and Banda (91). Geographical conditions are probably sufficient to account for these results in the two former districts; but in Banda, the Court regrets to say, the procrastinating and unmethodical habits of the Magistrate are responsible for the undue delay in the disposal of the criminal work.

8. The lightest files were in the districts of Kumaon (2), Gurhwal (5), Allahabad (5), Muttra (6), Dehra Doon (6). It is true that some of these districts had a comparatively small calendar of crime to deal with. But this was not the case in the Cawnpore district, where 12 only of 5,589 persons brought to trial were awaiting disposal at the end of the year.

9. The percentage of persons convicted and committed is, again, ·69, as it was in the years 1871 and 1870.

10. The best results in this respect were found in the districts given in the margin.

Bijnour	... ·84
Cawnpore	... ·82
Mynpoory	... ·79
Allahabad	... ·78
Azimgurh	... ·78
Goruckpore	... ·76
Bustee	... ·76
Etawah	... ·75
Etah	... ·75
Futtehpore	... ·74
Muttra	... ·73
Budaon	... ·73
Moradabad	... ·73

11. Of these districts, seven, *viz.*, Mynpoory, Cawnpore, Allahabad, Bijnour, Budaon, Bustee and Moradabad, were creditably conspicuous in this respect in the year 1871 also.

12. The least successful results were in Bareilly (·57), in Allygurh (·57), in Shahjehanpore (·61), in Jounpore (·62), in Benares (·62), in Dehra Doon (·62), in Ghazeepore (·63), in Kumaon (·63), in Boolundshuhur (·63), in Gurhwal (·64), and in Humeerpore (·64).

13. Of the foregoing districts, bad averages under this head were found in Jounpore, Kumaon and Gurhwal in the preceding year.

14. The marginal statement shows the total number of the graver offences against the person during the last five years respectively.

	1868.	1869.	1870.	1871.	1872.
Murder	427	380	339	322	321
Culpable homicide,	296	282	215	263	293
Grievous hurt ...	909	854	935	1,073	1,069
Hurt	7,868	6,711	7,768	8,858	8,725

15. It is satisfactory to find that the crime of murder is still, even though in a slight degree only, on the decrease; the other figures do not call for any particular remark.

16. The statement given in the margin exhibits the offences against property in the same years.

It will be observed that theft has considerably increased; crimes of robbery and house-breaking by thieves, on the contrary, have fallen off in number.

	1868	1869.	1870.	1871.	1872
Theft	34,199	36,532	26,692	22,541	31,139
Robbery	582	614	488	404	391
Dacoity	113	129	79	80	83
House-breaking for theft ..	16,568	10,316	17,868	20,238	19,771

17. Under the laws for the protection of the revenue and other special subjects, 10,563 offences, including 375 under the recent Infanticide Act were reported during the year.

18. 291 persons were reported as vagrants and 624 persons as of bad habit and repute; 5,243 attempts to commit crime were reported.

19. At the beginning of the year 1872, the Courts of the Magistrates had 1,102 persons awaiting trial before them. 53,934 persons were brought to trial during the year by arrest; 60,501 by summons; and 412 were received by transfer, making a total of 115,949 persons to be dealt with.

20. These persons were disposed of in the following manner :—

Discharged without trial	19,034
Acquitted	16,177
Convicted, including committed	79,146
Died, escaped, or transferred	350
Undisposed of at end of the year	1,242

21. Of the latter, 718 were in custody and 524 at large, on bail or recognizance.

22. The above figures may conveniently be classified with those of the previous two years.

	In 1870.	In 1871.	In 1872.
Discharged	17,652	17,398	19,034
Acquitted	17,096	14,541	16,177
Convicted, including committed,	78,132	74,216	79,146
Died, escaped, or transferred ...	516	406	350

23. The proportion of persons discharged without trial to the number disposed of was ·16.

24. The proportion of acquittals in cases disposed of was ·14.

25. These figures are probably no higher, on the whole, than might fairly have been expected.

26. But in some districts the returns of work of certain Courts showed an excessive number of discharges without trial; the attention of the Magistrates of those districts has been specially directed to this subject, and the Court is assured that the returns for the current year will show improvement in this respect.

27. All that is wanted is that Magistrates, by a patient and judicious examination of complaints, should, before issuing process against accused persons, satisfy themselves reasonably of the probability and good faith of the complaint.

28. The provisions of the law for making local enquiries by the agency of the subordinate magistracy were more extensively applied in 1872 than in previous years.

1,173 such enquiries were made—

435 were in the Jounpore district, 110 in Goruckpore, 71 in Bijnour, 63 in Shahjehanpore, and 81 in Benares.

29. No local enquiries were made in the districts of Dehra Doon, Muttra, Mynpoory, Bustee, Mirzapore, Ghazeepore, Jaloun, and Lullutpore.

30. 69 cases of more than six weeks' standing were pending at the end of the year. Of these cases, 34 were in Cawnpore, 23 in Banda, 4 in Dehra Doon, 2 in Moradabad, 2 in Allahabad, and 1 in each of the districts Budaon, Furuckabad, Benares, and Ghazeepore.

31. Except in the case of Banda, the delays in most instances have been sufficiently accounted for.

32 The various punishments inflicted by the district Magisterial Courts during the year are shown in the third general statement.

33. They may be summarised thus—

Fined	43,869	persons.
Imprisoned	18,837	„
Flogged	4,652	„
Ordered to find security for good behaviour ...	1,253	„
Ordered to keep the peace	2,174	„
„ to enter into recognizance	1,810	„
Imprisoned and fined	2,809	„
„ and flogged	582	„
Fined and „	13	„
Grand Total ...	75,999	„

34. The aggregate of fines imposed in the year amounted to Rs. 2,94,940.

35. Of this sum, Rs. 2,23,188, or ·76, were realized.

This result is very creditable to the Courts generally, showing that fines were assessed with judgment and were realized with diligence.

36. Rs. 11,332 were paid to injured parties by way of compensation.

37. Of the persons punished by fine, 36,699 were fined sums not exceeding Rs. 5; 9,509 were fined sums not exceeding Rs. 50; 137 were fined sums between that amount and Rs. 200, and 46 persons were fined sums exceeding Rs. 200.

38. Of the persons punished with imprisonment (22,228) rigorous imprisonment was inflicted on 21,147 and simple on 1,081.

39. The degrees of imprisonment imposed are shown in the subjoined figures.

Imprisoned up to 15 days, 2,753 rigorous and 471 simple.

Up to six months, 12,191 rigorous, 578 simple Up to two years, 6,173 rigorous, 29 simple. Above two years, 30 rigorous and no simple.

40. Of the persons punished with flogging (4,652), 3,872 were adults and 780 juveniles.

41. The average number of stripes was 17; and the highest number of stripes inflicted was 30.

42. 1,042 persons were imprisoned during the year in default of furnishing security under the Criminal Procedure Code.

43. The statistics of punishment in the last four years will be seen in the annexed table.

	Fined.	Imprisoned.	Flogged.	Security for good behaviour.	Security to keep the peace.	Recognizance to keep the peace.	Imprisoned and fined.	Imprisoned and flogged.	Fined and flogged.	Total.
In 1869 ...	41,763	23,666	6,384	1,373	1,354	1,992	3,061	517	20	80,130
„ 1870 ...	45,643	16,653	4,140	1,293	1,635	2,129	3,028	535	9	75,065
„ 1871 ...	44,721	14,901	3,289	1,296	1,802	2,370	2,376	408	6	71,352
„ 1872 ...	43,869	18,837	4,652	1,253	2,174	1,810	2,809	582	13	75,999

44. The fourth general statement shows the attendance of witnesses in the Magistrates' Courts: 258,707 attended in the course of the year, being 24,636 more than in the previous year.

45. Of these witnesses, 43,336 were dismissed from attendance on the first day.

13,845 were detained between one and three days.

1,406 were detained between three and seven days, and 120 were detained more than seven days.

46. Of these latter, no less than 70 were so detained in the Banda District, owing to the culpable remissness of the Magistrate, who has been duly admonished on the subject.

47. The results shown by this statement are especially creditable to the district Courts of Muttra, Mynpoory, Etah, Saharunpore, Budaon, Agra, Furruckabad, Azimgurh, Mirzapore, Kumaon, and Gurhwal.

48. The average duration of cases in the Magisterial Courts was eight days.

49. The statement giving the results of appeals from the subordinate magistracy to the Magistrate of the district shows that 2,791 persons appealed; that 198 appeals were rejected, that 1,557 failed, that 957 prevailed in whole or in part; and that 39 resulted in remands for new trial, or further investigation.

39 appeals were pending at the end of the year.

50. There were 3,658 appellants to the Sessions Courts during the year. Their appeals were thus disposed of:—612 appeals were rejected; 2,129 failed; 760 prevailed; 10 resulted in remands; and 147 remained undisposed of at the end of the year.

51. Of the appeals heard by the Sessions Courts ·24 were successful.

52. The largest number of appeals was in the Sessions Courts of Benares (280), Cawnpore (263), Moradabad (201), Saharunpore (188), and Shahjehanpore, (186).

53. The fewest appeals came from Dehra Doon (16), Budaon (13), and Mynpoory, (31).

54. The Sessions Courts had 3,148 commitments to dispose of during the year, being 59 more than in the previous year.

54. The Sessions Courts disposed of 2,794 of these commitments, convicting 2,022 persons and acquitting 772.

* This gave a provincial average of ·72 of convictions.

55. 335 persons were awaiting trial at the end of the year.

56. **The most successful commitments were had in Humeerpore, Dehra Doon, Banda, Bustee, Mirzapore, Moozuffernuggur, and Moradabad.**

57. The least successful were in Gurhwal, Lullutpore, Allygurh, and Saharunpore.

58. 2,023 persons were punished by the Sessions Judges in 1872.

59. Of these, 33 were fined, 1,726 were imprisoned, 3 were flogged, 159 were imprisoned and fined, 2 were imprisoned and flogged; and 100 were sentenced to death.

60. The fines imposed amounted to Rs. 18,959, of which Rs. 8,885 were realized.

61. 170 persons were transported for life, and 4 persons for shorter terms.

62. Imprisonment in solitary confinement was inflicted on 4 persons.

63. 1,127 cases were tried with the aid of assessors. The Judge agreed with the assessors in 1,269 of these cases and dissented in 158 cases.

64. Those of the Judges in whose judgment the Court is disposed to place most confidence maintain their high appreciation of the assistance which a judicious Judge may obtain from this agency.

65. The average duration of trials in the Sessions Courts was 36 days and of appeals 16 days.

66. 101 persons were sentenced to death by the Sessions Judges; 74 of these sentences were confirmed by the Court, 24 were modified, and 3 were reversed.

67. 770 cases came before the High Court in appeal or revision; in 481 the orders of the Lower Courts were confirmed, in 198 they were modified or the cases were remanded, and in 91 the sentences were reversed.

68. 272 cases came otherwise before the Court, which interfered in 73 cases—modifying the orders in 46 and reversing them in 27.

69. The High Court, in its original side, disposed of 20 cases, which occupied one Barrister Judge for 15 days.

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, N.-W. P.,
ALLAHABAD:
The 18th August, 1873.

W. TYRRELL,
Registrar.

APPENDIX.

No. 1.

General Statement showing the Number of Offences reported and prosecuted as well as the Number of Persons under trial, and those whose Cases were disposed of during the year 1872 in the Magisterial Courts, North-Western Provinces.

District.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of offences prosecuted.	Number of persons under trial.	Number of persons whose cases were disposed of.		Number of persons whose cases were left undisposed at the close of the year.	Percentage of persons convicted and committed to those whose cases were disposed of.
				Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted, including committed.		
Saharunpore	3,635	2,412	4,047	1,103	2 912	25	·72
Moozuffernuggur	1,665	1,019	1,905	595	1,287	19	·68
Dehra Doon	1,013	841	1,296	492	798	6	·62
Meerut	2,161	2,680	5,289	1,562	3,684	29	·70
Boolundshuhur	2,907	1,703	4,156	1,581	2,556	67	·63
Allygurh	3,727	2,535	5,041	2,143	2,867	25	57
Etah	2,580	1,213	2,172	541	1,616	10	·75
Moradabad	6,578	1,755	3 802	1,011	2,676	72	·73
Bijnour	1,634	1,061	2,113	324	1,772	12	·84
Bareilly	7,303	2,733	5,253	2,207	2,946	99	57
Budaon	3,384	1,528	2,743	787	1,967	35	·73
Shahjehanpore	5 240	2,468	4,109	1,565	2,488	38	·61
Agra	5,093	2,781	4 612	1,523	3,061	26	·67
Muttra	2,484	1,711	3,356	893	2,450	6	·73
Furruckabad	3,938	2,334	4,559	1,546	2,969	41	65
Mynpoory	1,767	954	1,984	399	1,544	29	·79
Etawah	3,210	1,559	2,708	621	2,043	36	·75
Cawnpore	6,249	3,671	5,589	1,008	4,505	12	·82
Futtehpore	2,785	1,057	2,183	547	1,581	34	·74
Banda	3,443	1,678	3,493	1,048	2,338	91	·69
Humeerpore	4,174	1,947	3,585	1,257	2,257	59	·64
Allahabad	8,074	4,276	7,429	1,608	5,816	5	·78
Goruckpore	6,149	3,027	5,311	1 247	3,862	101	·76
Bustee	2,073	957	1,974	469	1,451	40	·76
Azimgurh	4,352	1,593	3,008	613	2,293	74	·78
Jounpore	5,079	2,423	4,352	1,604	2,731	14	·62
Mirzapore	3,531	2,068	3,465	1,179	2,224	59	·65
Benares	5,326	3,281	6,350	2,390	3,893	50	·63
Ghazeepore	3,809	2,267	3,901	1,423	2,388	73	·63
Kumaon	967	704	1,201	485	763	2	63
Gurhwal	503	199	315	112	198	5	·64
Jhansie	2,453	1,381	2,290	649	1,613	13	·71
Jaloun	1,111	870	1,577	529	1,013	24	66
Lullutpore	1,134	533	885	280	584	11	·68
Total of 1872 ...	1,19,569	63,239	1,15,949	35,211	79 140	1,242	·69
Total of 1871 ...	1,08,425	56,882	1,07,663	31,939	74,216	1,102	69
District Average of 1872 ...	3,517	1.860	3,410	1,036	2,325	37	·69
District Average of 1871 ...	3,188	1,667	3,166	939	2,182	32	69

Persons whose cases were transferred for trial in other Districts, or who died, or escaped from custody, are not shown in this Table. Their number is shown in table 2 as 350 for the whole of the North-Western Provinces.

No. 2.

Statement showing the General Result of Criminal Trials before the various Magisterial Authorities in the District of the North-Western Provinces during the year 1872.

Districts.	Number of persons dealt with.					Persons disposed of.				Remaining at the end of the year.		Number of enquiries by Sub-Magistrates under Section 133, 180, and Chapter XVI. of the Criminal Procedure Code.	Number of cases pending above 6 weeks at the end of the year.	Percentage of convictions in cases committed.
	Remaining at end of last year.	Brought to trial during the year.		Received by transfer.	Total.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted including committed.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	In custody.	On bail or recognizance.			
		By arrest.	By summons or recognizance.											
Saharunpore ...	31	1,588	2,420	4	4,043	656	447	2,912	3	17	8	9	...	·61
Moozuffernuggur,	29	527	1,347	2	1,905	278	317	1,287	4	19	...	35	...	·76
Dehra Doon ...	25	669	601	1	1,296	262	230	798	...	4	2	...	4	·90
Meerut ...	12	2,187	3,085	5	5,289	996	566	3,684	14	20	9	6	...	·81
Boolundshuhur,	32	1,172	2,947	5	4,156	1,397	134	2,556	2	51	16	10	...	·77
Allygurh ...	24	1,894	3,120	3	5,041	928	1,215	2,867	6	6	19	4	...	·60
Etah ...	27	1,118	1,027	...	2,172	312	229	1,616	5	2	8	26	...	·63
Moradabad ...	84	1,013	2,661	44	3,802	416	595	2,676	43	25	47	33	2	·73
Bijnour ...	18	1,086	1,006	3	2,113	76	248	1,772	5	5	7	71	...	·84
Bareilly ...	55	1,950	3,245	3	5,253	974	1,233	2,946	1	83	16	44	...	·79
Budaon ...	6	1,206	1,526	5	2,743	425	312	1,967	4	26	9	8	1	·80
Shahjehanpore...	36	2,050	2,020	3	4,109	286	1,279	2,488	18	32	6	63	...	·75
Agra ...	18	2,101	2,319	174	4,612	648	875	3,061	2	15	11	31	...	·65
Muttra ...	13	1,375	1,961	7	3,356	563	330	2,450	7	3	3	...	...	·62
Furruckabad ...	61	1,978	2,502	18	4,559	884	662	2,969	3	23	18	6	1	·78
Mynpoory ...	24	903	1,057	...	1,984	77	322	1,544	12	19	10	...	...	·70
Etawah ...	7	1,025	1,676	...	2,708	361	260	2,043	8	26	10	15	...	·60
Cawnpore ...	20	2,336	3,224	9	5,589	113	895	4,505	64	3	9	5	334	·70
Futtehpore ...	11	1,147	1,021	4	2,183	325	222	1,581	21	14	20	6	...	·81
Banda ...	40	1,435	2,014	4	3,493	447	601	2,338	16	35	56	2	223	·60
Humeerpore ...	13	1,827	1,743	2	3,585	888	369	2,257	12	2	57	58	...	·94
Allahabad ...	43	3,560	3,826	...	7,429	978	630	5,816	...	3	2	49	2	·80
Goruckpore ...	61	3,222	1,922	6	5,211	656	591	3,862	1	61	40	110	...	·63
Bustee ...	28	1,422	515	9	1,974	139	330	1,451	14	35	5	...	...	·60
Azimgurh ...	73	1,678	1,251	6	3,008	263	370	2,293	8	55	19	9	...	·76
Jounpore ...	59	1,966	2,321	6	4,352	1,182	422	2,731	3	7	7	435	...	·59
Mirzapore ...	69	2,086	1,309	1	3,465	630	549	2,224	3	42	17	...	...	·84
Benares ...	73	3,491	2,743	43	6,350	1,613	777	3,893	17	9	41	81	1	·51
Ghazeepore ...	48	2,453	1,378	22	3,901	890	533	2,388	17	53	20	...	1	·81
Kumaon ...	4	456	741	...	1,201	340	95	763	1	...	2	3	...	·77
Gurhwal ...	4	142	169	...	315	75	37	198	...	2	3	15	...	·40
Jhansie ...	11	1,496	779	4	2,290	361	288	1,613	15	2	11	39	...	·85
Jaloun ...	28	887	649	13	1,577	340	189	1,013	11	11	13	...	...	·65
Lullutpore ...	15	488	376	6	885	255	25	584	10	8	3	...	...	·85
Total ...	1,102	53,934	60,501	412	1,15,949	19,034	16,177	79,146	350	718	524	1,173	69	·72

No. 3.

Statement showing the Degrees of Punishment inflicted by the several Magisterial Tribunals of the Districts, North-Western Provinces, during the year 1872.

District.	Number of persons punished.								
	Fined.	Imprisoned.	Flogged.		Ordered to find security for good behaviour.	Ordered to find security to keep the peace.	Ordered to enter into recognizance.	Ordered to maintain wife and children.	Ordered to refrain from taking possession of land or water.
			Juveniles.	Adults.					
Saharunpore	1,929	466	16	43	22	124	112	2	8
Moozuffernuggur ...	780	266	6	21	15	28	78	...	...
Dehra Doon	528	116	6	48	10	20	25	...	1
Meerut	2,785	354	54	115	59	94	35	3	...
Boolundshuhur	1,645	376	16	52	13	...	285	2	20
Allygurh	1,995	556	5	91	17	3	20	4	...
Etah	744	444	17	86	42	61	68	...	...
Moradabad	1,250	470	11	26	38	379	73	...	...
Bijnour	954	381	5	32	102	59	75	1	6
Bareilly	1,061	1,012	42	116	142	41	175	3	...
Budaon	873	416	14	77	41	261	21	2	4
Shahjehanpore	1,234	717	21	163	40	75	31	7	1
Agra	1,790	660	85	250	47	9	43	2	1
Muttra	1,595	509	14	78	26	...	141	...	...
Furruckabad	1,640	637	36	67	67	250	44	...	...
Mynpoory	808	391	13	71	13	83	33	...	7
Etawah	1,240	458	14	82	33	17	49	...	4
Cawnpore	2,680	1,290	15	167	28	8	98	1	18
Futtehpore	680	474	9	50	8	97	...	1	15
Banda	1,111	664	7	118	16	45	112	...	3
Humeerpore	1,254	608	65	178	9	35	10	...	5
Allahabad	4,028	1,037	45	189	55	34	108	12	4
Goruckpore	1,795	1,209	9	383	121	...	15	9	9
Bustee	398	663	35	183	12	5	5	1	...
Azimgurh	976	781	27	208	18	27	76	...	...
Jounpore	1,608	787	12	86	50	11	...	6	8
Mirzapore	1,031	559	23	140	82	103	...	4	1
Benares	2,214	844	61	266	20	104	3	13	26
Ghazeepore	1,174	577	6	207	66	108	21	1	14
Kumaon	357	88	3	46	17	20	47	3	...
Gurhwal	117	37	1	4	4	19	...	...	...
Jhansie	808	495	48	96	14	54	6	...	...
Jaloun	495	311	37	98	2	...	1	1	...
Lullutpore	292	184	2	35	4	...	...	1	...
Total ...	43,869	16,837	780	3,872	1,253	2,174	1,810	79	155

Statement showing the Degrees of Punishment inflicted by the several Magisterial

District.	Number of persons punished.—(concluded.)				DETAIL			
					Number of Fines.			
	Imprisoned and fined.	Imprisoned and flogged.	Fined and flogged.	Total persons punished.	Not exceeding Rs. 5.	Not exceeding Rs. 50.	Not exceeding Rs. 200.	Not exceeding Rs. 1,000.
Saharunpore	86	11	...	2,819	1,557	442	14	2
Moozuffernuggur ...	34	4	...	1,232	575	229	10	...
Dehra Doon	11	1	...	766	493	45	1	...
Meerut	96	23	2	3,620	2,353	517	12	1
Boolundshuhur	89	15	...	2,513	1,496	222	11	5
Allygurh	56	10	2	2,759	1,725	318	7	3
Etah	88	22	2	1,574	531	300	3	...
Moradabad	302	19	...	2,568	1,179	364	5	4
Bijnour	88	9	...	1,712	824	193	21	4
Bareilly	134	8	1	2,735	807	328	56	5
Badaon	138	18	...	1,865	503	501	7	...
Shahjehanpore	91	18	...	2,398	1,014	298	12	1
Agra	52	12	...	2,951	1,502	327	12	1
Muttra	32	9	...	2,404	1,379	241	5	2
Furruckabad	84	20	...	2,845	1,388	314	20	2
Mynpoory	51	4	...	1,474	630	223	6	...
Etawah	94	12	...	2,003	1,079	248	7	...
Cawnpore	61	27	1	4,394	2,290	433	14	5
Futtehpore	116	27	1	1,478	545	243	8	1
Banda	159	10	...	2,245	1,064	204	2	...
Humeerpore	25	8	1A	2,198	1,192	86	1	1
Allahabad	105	47	...	5,664	3,548	538	43	4
Goruckpore	75	53	2	3,680	1,411	443	18	...
Bustee	45	36	...	1,383	275	164	4	...
Azimgurh	53	13	...	2,179	778	248	3	...
Jounpore	89	8	...	2,665	1,379	313	4	1
Mirzapore	150	35	...	2,128	749	407	25	...
Benares	143	59	...	3,753	1,799	518	38	2
Ghazeepore	66	16	1	2,257	950	275	16	...
Kumaon	35	2	...	618	267	99	26	...
Gurhwal...	9	...	...	191	56	61	9	...
Jhansie	47	12	...	1,580	679	168	8	...
Jaloun	45	13	...	1,003	405	129	5	1
Lullutpore	60	1	...	579	277	70	4	1
Total ...	2,809	582	13	76,233	36,699	9,509	437	46

A.—This man was also imprisoned.

Tribunals of the Districts, North-Western Provinces, during the year 1872.—(contd.)

OF SENTENCES.

PERSONS.

Total number of fines.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid to injured parties by way of compensation or amend.	*Imprisoned.* Not exceeding 15 *Days.* Rigorous.	15 *Days.* Simple.	6 *Months.* Rigorous.	6 *Months.* Simple.	2 *Years.* Rigorous.	2 *Years.* Simple.
2,015	12,774	11,466	606	31	13	324	22	173	...
814	6,307	5,299	522	34	12	136	7	115	...
589	1,906	1,536	263	10	6	82	2	26	...
2,883	15,941	13,587	268	38	17	270	17	131	...
1,734	8,039	6,490	274	69	33	220	11	127	...
2,053	10,863	8,717	354	114	41	365	5	97	...
834	6,876	6,519	262	55	15	302	15	167	...
1,552	9,692	6,727	105	122	6	485	14	214	...
1,042	9,291	5,177	94	61	9	235	22	131	...
1,196	14,399	8,038	243	98	28	723	26	278	1
1,011	10,549	8,686	443	38	9	342	13	169	1
1,325	7,983	6,093	268	132	8	488	4	194	...
1,842	10,610	8,145	183	96	38	409	7	174	...
1,627	7,514	6,099	222	154	9	263	7	117	...
1,724	12,539	8,943	677	82	6	391	19	243	...
859	6,124	4,712	329	48	5	241	...	146	2
1,334	6,928	5,465	488	93	16	289	4	162	...
2,742	14,676	12,729	112	128	42	705	61	433	2
797	6,889	5,001	957	132	18	320	12	183	2
1,270	5,224	4,102	478	148	13	456	7	204B.	4
1,380	5,379	3,945	135	114	4	376	16	131	1
4,133	19,134	13,494	594	95	35	562	38	458	1
1,872	11,099	8,870	919	112	7	683	29	505	1
443	3,991	2,534	30	48	4	378	29	284	1
1,029	4,999	3,834	179	174	10	316	24	317	6
1,697	9,106	7,562	300	104	17	542	40	180	1
1,181	11,108	7,031	839	91	11	410	9	223	...
2,357	17,441	13,661	401	91	10	736	27	178	3
1,241	8,138	6,039	146	25	13	379	32	210	...
392	5,525	2,831	224	2	...	67	...	54	2
126	2,306	1,981	219	1	...	34	1	10	...
855	3,758	2,994	100	81	6	358	32	71	...
540	4,166	2,588	91	47	8	217	23	64	1
352	2,766	1,743	12	45	5	137	3	54C.	...
46,691	3,04,940	2,33,188	11,332	2,753	474	12,191	578	6,173	29

B.—One of these men entered against "imprisoned and fined" and "imprisoned and flogged" has not been shown twice in detail of imprisonment.

C.—Four of these men were sentenced to terms of imprisonment.

Statement showing the Degrees of Punishment inflicted by the several Magisterial Tribunals of the Districts, North-Western Provinces, during the year 1872—(concluded.)

District.	DETAIL OF SENTENCES—(*concluded.*)						Persons imprisoned in default of security.
	Number of Persons—(*concluded.*)						
	Imprisoned.				*Flogging.*		
	Not exceeding						
	7 *Years.*		*Total.*				
	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Average number of stripes.	Highest number of stripes in any one case.	
Saharunpore	...	...	528	35	19	30	9
Moozuffernuggur	...	...	285	19	18	30	11
Dehra Doon	2	...	120	8	12	30	1
Meerut	...	...	439	34	16	30	162
Boolundshuhur	...	...	436	44	21	30	8
Allygurh	...	...	576	46	18	30	16
Etah	...	...	524	30	23	30	8
Moradabad	...	...	771	20	16	25	34
Bijnour	...	...	447	31	15	30	39
Bareilly	...	...	1,099	55	18	30	142
Budaon	...	...	549	23	19	30	14
Shahjehanpore	...	...	814	12	21	30	24
Agra	...	...	679	45	14	30	31
Muttra	...	...	534	16	18	25	5
Furruckabad	...	...	716	25	11	30	86
Mynpoory	4	...	439	7	15	30	9
Etawah	...	...	544	20	16	30	26
Cawnpore	7	...	1,273	105	19	30	18
Futtehpore	...	...	585	32	19	30	6
Banda	...	...	808	24	18	30	16
Humeerpore	...	...	621	21	11	30	11
Allahabad	...	...	1,115	74	19	30	46
Goruckpore	...	...	1,300	37	18	30	117
Bustee	...	...	710	34	14	30	6
Azimgurh	...	...	807	40	21	30	12
Jounpore	...	...	826	58	16	30	40
Mirzapore	...	...	724	20	15	30	63
Benares	1	...	1,006	40	16	30	1
Ghazeepore	...	...	614	45	18	30	56
Kumaon	...	...	123	2	19	30	5
Gurhwal	...	...	45	1	18	30	1
Jhansie	6	...	516	38	16	30	13
Jaloun	9	...	337	32	18	30	2
Lullutpore	1	...	237	8	16	30	4
Total ...	30	...	21,147	1,081	14	30	1,042

No. 4.

Statement showing the number of witnesses who attended the Magistrates' Courts and the period of their detention.

District	Number of witnesses who attended.	Number of witnesses detained.			Percentage of witnesses detained.		
		Above one day.	Above three days.	Above seven days.	Above one day.	Above three days.	Above seven days.
Saharunpore	9,300	74	...	...	...	...	...
Moozuffernuggur	5,431	913	77	...	·16	·1	...
Dehra Doon	1,155	36	4	...	·3	...	...
Meerut	7,374	102	4	...	·1	...	...
Boolundshuhur	5,771	400	22	...	·7	...	...
Allyghur	9,897	303	39	...	·3	...	...
Etah	5,548	66	...	...	·1	...	...
Moradabad	9,671	605	108	...	·6	·1	...
Bijnour	6,901	737	9	...	·10	...	...
Bareilly	13,991	778	56	...	·5	...	...
Budaon	12,080	137	...	...	·1	...	...
Shahjehanpore	10,625	791	108	16	·7	·1	...
Agra	9,769	225	...	...	·2	...	...
Muttra	7,466	5	...	24	...	...	...
Furruckabad	11,500	297	...	...	·2	...	...
Mynpoory	5,443	32	...	...	...	...	...
Etawah	6,912	393	41	5	·6	...	...
Cawnpore	10,761	385	34	...	·4	...	...
Futtehpore	4,894	423	77	...	·9	·2	...
Banda	8.276	1,315	86	70	·16	·1	·1
Humeerpore	5,022	277	16	...	·4	...	...
Allahabad	11,479	489	14	...	·4	...	...
Goruckpore	10,573	914	72	...	·8	...	...
Bustee	4,715	544	136	...	·11	·2	...
Azimgurh	7,481	184	...	...	·2	...	...
Jounpore	10,743	1,415	178	...	·13	·1	...
Mirzapore	9,566	337	...	...	·3	...	...
Benares	12,856	356	49	...	3	...	...
Gazeepore	10,368	631	79	...	·6	...	...
Kumaon	1,211	15	...	...	·1	...	...
Gurhwal	757	13	...	...	·2	...	...
Jhansie	4,975	341	81	5	·7	·1	...
Jaloun	3,580	55	3	...	·2	...	...
Lullutpore	2,006	258	113	...	·12	·5	...
Total ...	2,58,707	13,845	1,406	120	·5	·1	·1

No. 5.

Statement showing the results of the Appeals from the orders of the Assistants preferred to the Magistrate of the District during the year 1872.

Name and designation of Magistrate.	Number of Appellants.	Number of Persons.					Remarks.
		Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences reversed or modified.	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending	
Saharunpore ...	77	1	51	23	...	2	
Moozuffernuggur ...	29	14	8	7	...	...	
Dehra Doon ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Meerut	90	2	45	22	17	4	
Boolundshuhur ...	101A.	...	78	22	...	...	A. 1 Case struck off in default.
Allygurh	255	9	129	113	...	4	
Etah	88	15	27	46	...	...	
Moradabad ...	100	1	79	20	...	...	
Bijnour	50	...	28	20	...	2	
Bareilly	92	6	47	35	2	2	
Budaon	87	5	51	31	...	...	
Shahjehanpore ...	94	3	68	17	4	2	
Agra	168	36	85	41	4	2	
Muttra	215	11	144	59	1	...	
Furruckabad ...	111	8	61	42	...	...	
Mynpoory	70	...	39	31	...	...	
Etawah	39	4	19	11	...	5	
Cawnpore	47	...	26	21	...	...	
Futtehpore... ...	115	...	64	51	...	...	
Banda	42	...	8	33	...	1	
Humeerpore ...	41	...	22	18	...	1	
Allahabad... ...	49	5	20	24	...	...	
Goruckpore ...	104	3	57	44	...	...	
Bustee	78	3	54	11	...	10	
Azimgurh... ...	82	8	42	29	1	2	
Jounpore	177	37	81	53	6	...	
Mirzapore ...	88	9	36	40	2	1	
Benares	98	3	65	28	2	...	
Ghazeepore ...	78	1	55	22	...	...	
Kumaon	37	8	21	8	...	...	
Gurhwal	23	6	9	8	...	...	
Jhansie	25	...	13	12	...	...	
Jaloun	30	...	23	7	...	...	
Lullutpore ...	11	...	2	8	...	1	
Total ...	2,791	198	1,557	957	39	39	

No. 6.

Statement showing the Average Number of Days during which each Case lasted in the Courts of the Magistrates of the Districts and their Subordinates during the year 1871 *and* 1872.

District.	Average duration of Cases in the Magisterial Courts.					
	For the year 1871			*For the year* 1872		
	Year	Month.	Days	Year.	Month.	Days.
Saharunpore	...	...	6	...	...	8
Moozuffernuggur	...	...	13	...	.	12
Dehra Doon	...	...	4	...	...	5
Meerut	...	..	5	...	...	4
Boolundshuhur	...	...	7	...	...	7
Allygurh	...	...	12	...	...	9
Etah	...	...	12	...	...	6
Moradabad	...	...	11	...	...	11
Bijnour	...	...	9	...	...	7
Bareilly	..	...	6	...	...	7
Budaon	...	...	8	...	...	8
Shahjehanpore	...	...	6	...	...	6
Agra	...	...	7	...	...	7
Muttra	...	...	7	...	...	8
Furruckabad	...	...	10	...	...	9
Mynpoory	...	...	7	...	...	8
Etawah	...	...	8	...	...	5
Cawnpore	..	...	7	...	...	7
Futtehpore	...	...	8	...	...	8
Banda	...	...	8	...	..	9
Humeerpore	...	...	6	...	...	6
Allahabad	.	...	8	...	...	6
Goruckpore	...	...	11	...	...	8
Bustee	...	...	9	...	...	8
Azimgurh	...	...	10	...	...	8
Jounpore	...	...	13	...	...	11
Mirzapore	...	...	12	...	...	10
Benares	...	...	5	...	...	4
Ghazeepore	...	...	9	...	...	6
Kumaon	...	...	10	...	...	9
Gurhwal	...	...	14	...	...	12
Jhansie	...	...	9	...	...	7
Jaloun	...	...	8	...	...	9
Lullutpore	...	...	11	...	...	14
Average duration	...	...	9	...	...	8

No. 7.

Statement showing the detailed result of appeals to the Sessions Court during the year 1872. I. Appeals.

District	Number of appellants.	Number of Persons.				
		Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences reversed or modified.	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending.
Saharunpore	188	15	119	49	...	5
Moozuffernuggur	78	2	44	27	...	...
Debra Doon	16	3	12	1	...	...
Meerut	151	46	72	26	...	7
Boolundshuhur	92	10	56	11	...	15
Allygurh	150	25	71	48	...	6
Etah	112	5	78	24	...	5
Moradabad	201	12	149	34	...	6
Bijnour	123	9	57	47	...	10
Bareilly	163	35	97	28	1	2
Budaon	30	11	14	3	...	2
Shahjehanpore	186	22	117	36	1	8
Agra	121	29	74	18	...	...
Muttra	147	52	71	24	...	...
Furruckabad	147	15	97	26	...	9
Mynpoory	31	1	22	8	...	...
Etawah	97	1	69	27	...	...
Cawnpore	263	10	122	87	2	12
Futtehpore	58	13	26	12	...	2
Banda	91	24	58	5	..	4
Humeerpore...	43	21	14	2	...	6
Allahabad	102	8	75	17	...	2
Goruckpore	86	3	69	9	...	5
Bustee	41	1	35	2	...	3
Azimgurh	74	...	66	5	...	3
Joonpore	92	25	45	22	...	...
Mirzapore	96	20	55	20	1	...
Benares	280	77	141	61	...	1
Ghazeepore	85	[illegible]	51	29	...	5
Kumaon	[illegible]	[illegible]	62	14	2	9
Gurhwal	45	18	20	3	1	3
Jhansie	62	24	18	12	...	8
Jaloun	56	14	22	13	2	5
Lullutpore	51	8	31	8	...	4
Total ...	3,650	612	2,129	780	10	147

No. 8.

Statement of the detailed results of commitments to the Sessions Court during the year 1872. *II. Commitments.*

Districts	Number of persons committed, including those pending trial at the end of the last year	Persons disposed of		Persons remaining undisposed of at the end of the year	Percentage of persons convicted to total number disposed of.
		Convicted, including those whose sentences were referred for confirmation to the High Court	Acquitted.		
Saharunpore ...	94	56	36	2	61
Moozuffernuggur	73E	57	14	1	·80
Dehra Doon ...	28	22	3	3	88
Meerut ...	63	43	19	1	·69
Boolundshuhur ...	65	21	11	33	66
Allygurh	126	66	44	16	60
Etah ..	53	34	19	.	·64
Moradabad ...	119	87	23	9	80
Bijnour ...	72	48	15A	8	·76
Bareilly	22fC	153	66	6	·70
Budaon ...	125D	71	37	16	66
Shahjehanpore .	122	91	28	3	76
Agra	113	74	38	1	66
Muttra ...	57	34	21	2	·62
Furruckabad ...	126	90	32	4	·74
Mynpoory ...	71	48	21	2	70
Etawah ...	41	25	10	6	·71
Cawnpore ...	110	67	27	16	71
Futtehpore ...	116I	70	21	23	·77
Banda ...	138	85	12	41	·88
Humeerpore	93	84	8	1	91
Allahabad	162	96	42	24	69
Goruckpore ..	186	124	35	27	77
Bustee	69	42	5	22	·89
Azimgurh ...	12/G	77	26	22	75
Jounpore ..	73H	41	23	8	·64
Mirzapore ...	105	82	13	10	·86
Benares ...	168B	82	64	19	56
Ghazeepore ...	147	108	30	9	·78
Kumaon	26	17	9	...	·65
Gurhwal ...	8	2	6	...	·25
Jhansie ...	39I	21	11	...	66
Jaloun	3	2	1	...	50
Lullutpore ...	4	2	2	..	100
Total ...	3,148	2,[illegible]	[illegible]	335	·72

A 1 died
B 3 transferred to Allahabad.
C 1 died.
D 1 sent to Lunatic Asylum
E 1 died
F 2 remanded
G 2 died.
H 1 do
I 6 transferred to District Sessions Court, and 1 died.

No. 9.

Statement showing the Amount of Business disposed of by the Sessions Judges during the year 1872.

Names of Sessions Judge and District.		Commitments. Number of Persons. Committed, including those pending trial at the end of last year.	Convicted and sentenced.	Sentenced to death, referred for confirmation.	Acquitted.	Remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.	Appeals. Number of Persons. Number of appellants.	Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences modified.	Sentences reversed.	Remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.
Goruckpore,	A. L. M. Phillips, Esq.	255	161	5	40	47A	127	4	104	3	8	8
Moradabad...	W. J. Carnac ,,	191	128	7	38B	17	324	21	206	55	26	16
Mirzapore ...	J. W. Power ,,	105	74	8	13	10	96	20	55	...	21	...
Benares ...	M. Brodhurst ,,	168C	82	...	64	19	280	77	141	18	43	1
Bareilly ...	H. Vansittart ,,	106D	10	3	3	22	46	..	22	6	4	4
	G. P. Money ,,	245E	198	13	100		147	46	89	12	10	
Saharunpore,	W. G. Probyn ,,	195F	134	1	53	6	277	20	175	37	40	5
Allygurh ...	W. J. Bramly ,,	39	27	...	11	16	80	24	49	1	6	...
	S. N. Martin ,,	140	71	2	52		182	6	100	5	60	11
Meerut ...	G. D. Turnbull ,,	128	63	1	30	34	243	56	128	2	35	22
Shahjehanpore ...	H. B. Henderson ,,	84	62	3	16	3	98	11	54	7	18	8
	J. Power ,,	38	25	1	12	...	88	11	63	5	9	...
Agra ...	H. G. Keene ,,	132	83	6	40	3	200	59	113	12	16	...
	H. R. Clarke ,,	18	9	1	8	...	43	13	21	1	8	...
	H. W. Dashwood ,,	20	9	...	11	...	25	9	11	1	4	...
Furruckabad,	W. S. Paterson ,,	10	8	...	2	...	32	...	24	2	6	...
	F. Thompson ,,	116	81	1	30	4	115	15	73	4	14	9
Mynpoory ...	R. C. Oldfield ,,	61	40	1	20	...	73	1	53	7	12	...
	H. R. Clarke ,,	30	17	4	9	...	43	1	32	1	9	...
	H. Lushington ,,	21	6	5	2	8	12	...	6	...	6	...
Cawnpore	J. H. Prinsep ,,	182	105	6	30	39G	234	33	114	26	47	14
	B. W. Colvin ,,	44	25	1	18	...	82	20	34	3	25	...
Azimgurh ...	G. P. Money ,,	22	19	...	3	...	5	...	4	...	1	...
	J. W. Sherer ,,	105H	53	5	23	22	69	...	62	4	...	3
Jounpore ...	M. Brodhurst ,,	59I	35	...	23	...	80	24	34	1	21	...
	J. W. Power ,,	14	5	1	...	8	12	1	11	...	...	...
Ghazeepore,	S. N. Martin ,,	21	15	...	6	...	27	...	13	...	14	...
	J. H. B. Ironside ,,	126	91	2	24	9	58	...	38	2	13	5
Allahabad ...	G. H. M. Ricketts ,,	124	69	...	31	24	75	2	61	4	6	2
	A. R. S. Pollock ,,	38	26	1	11	...	27	6	14	2	5	...
Banda ...	C. Grant ,,	231	156	13	...	42	134	45	72	...	7	10
Kumaon ...	Colonel H. Ramsay	34	15	4	15	...	155	41	82	6	14	12
Jhansie	D. [illegible] Edwards Esq.	27L	15	1	4	...	99	37	44	2	16	...
	A. R. Pollock ,,	19	3	6	10	...	70K	9	27	1	14	17
	Total ...	3,148	1,920	102	772	333	3,658	612	2,129	230	538	147

A 1 escaped and 1 died.
B 1 died.
C 3 transferred.
D 1 died.
E 1 sent to Lunatic Asylum.
F 1 died before trial.
G 2 remanded.
H 2 died.
I 1 died.
K out of these, 2 returned for further investigation.
L 6 transferred, and 1 died.

No. 10.

Statement showing Degrees of Punishment inflicted by the Sessions Judges during the year 1872.

Districts.	Number of Persons.												Total persons punished	Detail of Sentences. Number of Persons.																	
			Flogged											Fined.						Imprisonment, Penal Servitude.										Flogging.	
																			Not exceeding											
	Fined.	Imprisoned.	Adults.	Juveniles.	Ordered to find security for good behaviour	Ordered to find security to keep the peace.	Ordered to enter into recognizance.	Ordered to maintain wife and children	Ordered to refrain from taking possession of land and water	Imprisoned and fined	Imprisoned and flogged.	Fined and flogged	Sentenced to death.		Not exceeding Rs. 200.	Not exceeding Rs. 1,000.	Exceeding Rs 1,000	Total number of fines.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid to injured parties by way of compensation or amend.	2 years.		7 years.		Exceeding 7 years.		Total.		Transportation.		Sentenced in addition to imprisonment		Average number of stripes.	Highest number of stripes.
																						Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous	Simple	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	For terms	For life	Solitary confinement.	Forfeiture of property.		
Saharunpore	15	116	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	..	..	1	135	16	2	...	18	1,928	1,711	...	57	2	39	...	10	...	106	2	1	10	...	...	...	...
Meerut ...	..	51	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	...	1	64	11	1	...	12	1,540	330	6	26	...	29	...	...	...	55	..	...	8	...	...	...	...
Allygurh ...	...	89	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	2	100	9	...	...	9	1,800	1,850	...	53	1	34	...	2	...	89	1	...	8	...	...	...	...
Moradabad ...	2	88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	38	...	...	7	135	38	2	...	40	3,251	836	11	52	...	41	...	15	...	108	...	...	18	...	...	...	...
Bareilly ...	1	200	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	..	16	224	7	...	...	7	1,000	600	...	65	10	112	...	6	...	183	10	1	12	1	...	15	15
Shajehanpore	5	71	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	10	1	...	4	91	12	3	...	15	4,125	980	525	28	1	38	...	6	...	72	1	...	9	...	...	30	30
Agra ..	...	94	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	7	108	6	...	...	6	405	253	...	43	6	31	6	6	...	80	12	...	8	...	...	30	30
Furruckabad ...	...	78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	...	1	90	11	...	...	11	670	220	...	34	1	25	...	17	...	76	1	...	12	...	...	...	...
Mynpoory ..	...	61	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	10	73	1	1	...	2	400	124	...	21	...	21	...	7	...	49	...	...	14	...	...	...	...
Cawnpore ..	9	118	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	7	137	10	...	..	10	500	250	...	38	1	48	...	15	...	101	1	1	17	...	...	19	30
Banda ...	.	137	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	19	..	...	13	169	19	...	...	19	615	550	...	42	4	102	...	5	...	149	4	...	3	...	...	...	...
Allahabad ...	...	89	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	6	..	..	1	96	6	...	..	6	415	29	15	14	...	60	..	6	...	80	...	1	14	1	...	...	...
Goruckpore ...	...	159	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	..	3	167	5	...	...	5	300	161	161	17	4	129	...	...	...	146	4	...	14	...	...	...	...
Azimgurh ..	...	69	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	..	5	77	3	...	...	3	75	...	...	18	3	34	...	5	...	57	3	...	12	...	...	...	...
Jounpore ...	...	37	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	..	...	1	41	3	...	...	3	90	200	...	5	...	30	...	...	...	35	...	...	5	...	...	...	...
Mirzapore ...	..	72	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	8	82	2	...	...	2	100	...	...	32	...	32	...	10	...	74	...	...	...	3	...	...	...
Benares ..	...	78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	82	4	...	...	4	190	308*	8	34	...	45	...	3	...	82	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ghazeepore	1	89	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	...	..	2	108	16	1	...	17	1,230	440	290	40	1	52	...	8	...	100	1	...	4	...	...	...	...
Kumaon ...	..	15	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	19	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	11	...	...	...	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jhansie ...	...	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	..	7	25	3	...	...	3	325	...	...	1	1	14	...	...	...	15	1	...	2	...	...	...	...
Total ...	33	1,726	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	159	2	...	100	2,033	182	10	...	192	18,959	8,885	1,016	624	35	927	6	121	...	1,672	41	4	170	4	...	23	30

* Inclusive of the amount realized for the year 1871.

No. 11.

Statement showing the Particulars of Trials held by the Sessions Judges with the aid of Assessors during the year 1872.

Name of Districts.	Average number of Assessors in each case.	Number of cases tried with Assessors.	Number of persons of class employed as Assessors.							Number of cases in which Judge agreed with Assessors.	Number of cases in which Judge differed from Assessors	Number of persons fined for non-attendance.	Amount of fines imposed.	Remarks.
			Pleaders.	Bankers or traders.	Engaged in service.	Agriculturists.	Landholders	Other classes.	Total.					
Saharunpore ...	3	34	...	50	...	...	51	1	102	30	4	1	5	
Moozuffernuggur ...	3	35	...	49	...	...	52	4	105	32	3	...	...	
Dehra Doon ...	3	11	3	20	...	...	6	3	32	10	1	4	11	
Meerut ...	3	41	...	16	34	15	44	14	123	38	3	...	...	
Boolundshuhur ...	3	22	...	19	11	10	21	5	66	20	2	...	...	
Allygurh ...	2	51	2	64	15	...	55	7	143	40	11	...	...	
Etah	3	38	3	30	3	1	76	1	114	31	7	...	...	
Moradabad ...	3	78	...	18	...	...	35	...	53	65	13	3	75	
Bijnour	3*A*	32	...	4	...	...	13	...	17	29	3	...	...	
Bareilly	3	114	...	93	15	...	167	67	342	112	2	4	11	
Budaon	3	34	...	9	...	...	92	4	105	33	1	...	...	
Shahjehanpore ...	3	69	...	40	34	...	131	2	207	61	8	3	6	
Agra	3	65	57	113	5	...	19	1	195	57	8	5	35	
Muttra	3	24	16	43	4	...	6	3	72	24*B*	...	...	...	
Furruckabad ...	3	61	...	8	10	...	44	121	183	50	11	6	32	
Mynpoory ...	3	32	...	...	...	...	91	...	91	22	10	...	...	
Etawah	3	22	...	14	3	...	48	...	65	20	2	...	...	
Cawnpore ...	3	68	32	87	12	...	69	...	200	58	10	1	5	
Futtehpore ...	3	32	...	57	12	9	18	...	96	25	7	...	...	
Banda	3	48	5	35	23	8	61	12	144	40	8	...	...	
Humeerpore ...	3	39	20	50	...	...	47	...	117	35	4	...	...	
Allahabad ...	3	76	...	124	5	...	90	6	225	73	3	1	15	
Goruckpore ...	2	67	...	67	13	...	90	14	184	60	7	6	25	
Bustee	3	26	1	26	11	...	35	5	78	21	5	...	...	
Azimgurh ...	3	65	13	1	...	...	181	...	195	59	6	1	5	
Jounpore ...	3	34	1	23	...	1	77	...	102	31	3	...	...	
Mirzapore ...	3	50	...	40	15	25	70	...	150	40	1	...	...	
Benares	3	66	...	122	19	...	37	12	190	64	2	1	25	
Ghazeepore ...	3	61		41	6	...	133	6	186	54	7	20	109	
Kumaon... ...	3	13	...	8	11	...	20	...	39	12	1	...	...	
Garhwal... ...	3	5	...	2	2	...	11	...	15	4	1	...	...	
Jhansie														
Jaloun	3	14	8	14	...	1	12	7	42	10	4	...	...	
Lullutpore ...														
Total ...	3	1,427	161	1,287	263	70	1,902	295	3,978	1,269	158	56	359	

A.—6 cases were tried without the aid of Assessors, which are excluded from this Statement.

B.—1 case was withdrawn by Government Pleader.

No. 12.

Statement showing the Average Number of Days during which each Trial and Appeal lasted in the Court of the Sessions Judge during the year 1872.

District.	Trial of Committed Cases.		Appeals	
	Number of trials disposed of during the year 1872.	Average number of days during which each trial lasted.	Number of appeals disposed of during the year 1872.	Average number of days during which each appeal lasted.
Saharunpore				
Moozuffernuggur	86	40	164	14
Dehra Doon				
Meerut	41	27	71	16
Boolundshuhur	22	51	55	16
Allygurh	55	14	84	16
Etah	40	8	62	10
Moradabad	55	71	89	35
Bijnour	37	89	65	39
Bareilly	115	31	161	16
Budaon	36	59	28	17
Shajehanpore	69	10	124	12
Agra	65	25	84	11
Muttra	25	50	76	16
Furruckabad	61	29	101	14
Mynpoory	32	10	24	14
Etawah	23	50	66	19
Cawnpore	68	25	179	14
Futtehpore	35	28	30	15
Banda	48	78	91	21
Humeerpore	39	75	30	20
Allahabad	77	1	56	6
Goruckpore	85	43	57	15
Bustee	30	44	25	17
Azimgurh	65	29	45	20
Jounpore	39	13	58	14
Mirzapore	50	12	70	8
Benares	75	2	181	12
Ghazeepore	70	30	65	13
Kumaon	13	17	[illegible]	18
Gurhwal	5	2	26	[illegible]
Jhansie	10	16	19	14
Jaloun	3	41	34	15
Lullutpore	3	33	30	12
Total ...	1,477	33	2,309	16

No.

1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.
		Number of persons whose cases disposed of						
		Old Law.						*New*
Zillah.	Names of Sessions Judges.	Number of persons whose cases were referred to this Court.	Number of persons whose sentences passed agreed with Sessions Judge's recommendation.	Number of persons in which it differed.	Number of persons acquitted by this Court.	Total.	Number of persons sentenced to death referred to this Court for confirmation.	Number of persons in which sentences of death was passed by Sessions Judge and confirmed by this Court.
Goruckpore ...	A. L. M. Phillipps, Esq.,	...	...	...	...	...	5	3
Moradabad ...	W. J. R. Carnac ,,	...	...	...	...	...	6	6
Mirzapore ...	J. W. Power ,,	...	...	...	...	...	9	8
Benares ...	M. Brodhurst ,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bareilly ...	H. Vansittart ,,	...	...	...	...	...	3	1
	G. P. Money ,,	...	...	...	...	...	13	11
Saharunpore ...	W. G. Probyn ,,	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Allygurh ...	W. J Bramly ,,	1	1	...	...	1	...	...
	S. N. Martin ,,	...	...	...	...	...	2	1
Meerut ...	G. D. Turnbull ,,	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Shahjehanpore ...	H. B. Henderson ,,	...	...	...	...	...	3	3
	J. Power ,,	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Agra ...	H. G Keene ,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	H. R Clarke ,,	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
	H. W. Dashwood ,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Furruckabad ...	W. S. Paterson ,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	F. Thompson ,,	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Mynpoory ...	R. C. Oldfield ,,	...	...	...	...	...	5	4
	H. R Clarke ,,	...	...	...	...	...	3	3
	H Lushington ,,	...	...	...	...	...	3	3
Cawnpore ...	J. H. Prinsep ,,	...	...	...	...	...	6	5
	B. W. Colvin ,,	...	...	...	...	...	1	1
Azimgurh ...	G. P Money ,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	J. W. Sherer ,,	...	...	...	...	...	5	1
Ghazeepore ...	S. N. Martin ,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	J. B. Ironside ,,	...	...	...	...	...	2	2
Allahabad ...	J. W. Sherer ,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	G. H. M Ricketts, ,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	A. R. S. Pollock ,,	1	1	...	...	1	1	1
Banda ...	G. Grant ,,	...	...	...	...	...	16	9
Kumaon ...	Col. H Ramsay ...	...	...	...	...	...	4	3
Jhansie ...	Mr. R. M Edwards Esq,	...	...	...	...	...	3	2
	A. R. S. Pollock ,,	...	...	...	...	...	6	3
	Capt. F. W. Chatterton	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Col. A. H. Ternan ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	,, A. G. Davidson...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Capt. T. J. Quinn ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Total ...	2	2	...	...	2	101	74

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10.	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.	16.	17.	18.	19.	20.	21.	22.	23.	24.
BY THIS COURT.				*Number of persons whose cases were appealed for on perusal of Monthly Statements.*				*Number of persons whose cases were submitted under Sections 54 and 434, and called for under Section 404, Act XXV. of 1861.*						
Law.														
Number of persons in which it was modified.	Number of persons acquitted by this Court.	Total.	Grand Total.	Number in which order was confirmed.	Number modified or remanded.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Number confirmed.	Number modified.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Percentage of columns 4 and 9 to columns 3 and 8.	Percentage of columns 14 and 18 to totals of columns 17 and 21.	Remarks.
2	...	5	5	48	27	9	84	2	4	1	7	·60	·55	
...	...	6	6	21	21	8	50	15	...	...	15	·100	·55	
1	...	9	9	7	9	3	19	12	6	2	20	·88	·49	
...	...	...	...	29	34	7	70	37	7	...	44	...	·58	
2	...	3	3	...	5	6	11	5	...	...	5	·33	·31	
1	1	13	13	35	1	3	39	6	...	9	15	·85	·76	
...	...	1	1	47	3	2	52	19	4	3	26	·100	·85	
...	...	...	1	1	9	1	11	4	...	...	4	·100	·33	
1	...	2	2	9	6	7	22	7	4	...	11	·50	·48	
...	...	1	1	24	3	...	27	32	1	...	33	·100	·93	
...	...	3	3	26	2	7	35	1	...	...	1	·100	·75	
...	...	1	1	1	3	2	6	1	...	...	1	·100	·29	
...	...	...	...	19	8	...	27	3	...	...	3	...	·73	
...	...	1	1	1	...	1	2	...	...	2	2	·100	·25	
...	...	...	...	3	...	...	3	3	...	...	3	...	·100	
...	...	...	...	8	1	2	11	...	...	1	1	...	·67	
...	...	1	1	18	2	4	24	3	...	5	8	·100	·66	
...	1	5	5	13	1	2	16	1	3	...	4	·80	·70	
1	...	3	3	6	2	...	8	1	2	...	3	·67	·64	
...	...	3	3	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	·100	...	
1	...	6	6	23	22	5	50	10	3	1	14	·83	·52	
...	...	1	1	7	1	...	8	8	...	...	8	·100	·94	
...	...	...	...	5	...	3	8	...	...	...	...	...	·62	
3	1	5	5	9	1	2	12	4	1	1	6	·20	·72	
...	...	...	...	3	6	1	10	...	...	...	...	...	·30	
...	...	2	2	39	6	6	51	...	2	...	2	·100	·74	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	·100	
...	...	...	...	12	4	2	18	6	3	1	10	...	·64	
...	...	1	2	7	5	...	12	...	...	1	1	·100	·54	
7	...	16	16	26	11	8	45	12	2	...	...	·56	·64	
1	...	4	4	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	·75	...	
1	...	3	3	22	1	...	23	4	2	...	6	·67	·90	
3	...	6	6	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	·50	...	
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	·100	
...	...	...	...	9	...	...	9	1	...	...	1	...	·100	
...	...	...	...	1	3	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	·25	
...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	·100	
24	3	101	103	481	198	91	770	199	46	27	272	·74	·65	

No. 14.

Statement of Business disposed of in the High Court of Judicature, at Allahabad, in the year 1872.—(Original Side.)

	Suits, &c.			Before.					
	Remaining from the year 1871.	Filed in the year 1872.	Disposed of on merits.	One Civilian Judge.	One Barrister Judge.	One Barrister and one Civilian Judges.	One Barrister & two Civilian Judges.	Otherwise disposed.	Days of sitting.
					Cases.				
Criminal Trials	...	23	20	...	23	...	...	3	15 days.

No. 15.

Statement showing the Nature of the Penalties inflicted under the Judgment of the High Court.

Penalties.	Appellate Jurisdiction.		Original Jurisdiction.	
	1872.	1871.	1872.	1871.
Death	74	65	...	...
Transportation for life	28	14	...	...
Ditto above 7 years and not exceeding 14 years	...	2	...	...
Imprisonment for life	...	...	...	...
Ditto above 12 and not exceeding 21 years	3	3	...	...
Ditto above 5 and not exceeding 10 years	26	30	...	...
Ditto not exceeding 5 years...	176	84	16	9
The average duration of cases in the High Court was 16 days ...	...	...	...	...

JUDICIAL STATEMENT, No. II.

Statement of Offences reported, and Persons tried, convicted, and acquitted for each Offence in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1872.

	Section of the Penal Code.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year	Acquitted or discharged	Convicted	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
CLASS I							
OFFENCES AGAINST THE STATE, THE PUBLIC, AND JUSTICE.							
Waging war against the Queen	121	...	...	...	...	..	
Collecting arms or concealing attempt to wage war	122 and 123	...	...	...	...	..	
War or depredation on allied powers	125—127	...	..	..	..	...	
Abetment of mutiny	131 and 132	.	...	...	...	.	
RELATING TO COIN, STAMPS, WEIGHTS, AND MEASURES							
Counterfeiting coin	231—238	13	19	11	8	...	
Diminishing or altering coin	246—249	7	9	6	3	...	
Passing or possessing bad or altered coin	239—243, 250—254	104	120	53	64	2	1 Committed.
Counterfeiting stamp or selling same	255—259	1	1	1	...	...	
Using as genuine, counterfeit stamp or effacing or altering the same	260—263	8	12	4	8	...	
Making, using, or possessing false weights or measures	264—267	157	214	80	130	4	
AGAINST PUBLIC JUSTICE							
Personating public servant or soldier	140, 170, 171	26	32	10	22	...	
Concealing design to commit offence	118—120	3	3	2	1	...	
Omitting to give information of offence or giving false information	176 and 177, 181—182, 202—203	501	695	236	451	9	
Causing disappearance of evidence	201—204	37	86	34	52	.	
Resisting, obstructing, or omitting to assist public servant	183—187, 189 and 190	363	853	280	566	7	
Disobedience of lawful order causing injury	188	627	2,386	372	1,980	34	
Intentional insult or interruption in Judicial proceeding	228	229	303	8	295	...	
Harbouring an offender	212—216	14	29	20	8	1	
Taking gift to screen offender	213—215	103	177	93	78	5	1 Committed.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT, No. II.—(*Continued.*)

Statement of Offences reported, and Persons tried, convicted, and acquitted for each Offence in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1872.

	Section of the Penal Code.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
Resistance to lawful apprehension and rescue	224 and 225	118	217	37	175	4	1 Transferred.
Escape from lawful custody or transportation	224—226	86	104	11	88	2	3 Ditto.
Absconding from, avoiding, or disobeying summons or notice to attend or produce, or refusing to answer or sign	172—175 / 178—180	415	883	174	702	7	
Failure to attend as juror or assessor	C. P. C. 354	1	1	...	1	...	
By Public Servants.							
Taking valuable thing by or to influence public servant	161—165	123	161	79	76	5	1 Escaped.
Public Servant acting illegally to injure any person	166 and 167	13	25	12	13	...	
Ditto unlawfully trading	168 and 169	1	1	...	1	...	
Ditto fraudulently defeating punishment or forfeiture	217 and 218	7	14	6	8	...	
Ditto wilfully making order or decision contrary to law	219 and 220	1	1	...	1	...	
Ditto intentionally omitting to apprehend or permitting to escape ...	221 and 222	15	21	2	18	1	
Ditto negligently suffering escape	129—223	51	75	11	64	..	
Breach of Police Act by Police Officers	Act V. of 1861	108	162	33	129	...	
False Evidence, False Complaint or Claims and Forgery.							
Giving false evidence	193—196	272	419	139	261	14	1 Died and 4 committed.
Fabricating false evidence	193—196	4	3	1	2	...	
Making, issuing, or using false statement or certificate	197—200	7	23	1	22	...	
False personation in judicial proceeding	205—229	11	24	4	20	...	
Fraudulent claim to, or concealment of property, or suffering of decree...	206—208 / 421—424	13	25	15	10	...	
False claim in Court of Justice	209 and 210	9	12	11	1	...	
False charge of offence	211	164	211	79	128	4	
Frivolous or vexatious complaint	270 C. P. C.	277	345	...	345	...	
Forgery or fraudulently using or possessing forged document	465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 471, 473, 477,	94	181	88	77	13	3 Transferred.

Making or using false trade-marks	482—489	3	5	...	5	...				
PUBLIC NUISANCES.										
Public nuisances under Penal Code	269—294	939	2,120	338	1,781	...	1	Sent to Lunatic Asylum.		
Nuisances under Police or Municipal and Local Act	...	4,401	8,182	452	7,700	9	21	Transferred and escaped.		
RELATING TO THE PUBLIC PEACE.										
Rioting or unlawful assembly	143—153 157 and 158	283	1,997	552	1,377	67	1	Escaped.		
Omitting to inform or prevent riot	154—156	2	5	1	4	...				
Affray	160	342	1,423	273	1,140	9	1	Transferred.		
Offence relating to religion	295—298	32	60	20	39	...	1	Ditto.		
CLASS II.										
OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON.										
Murder by thugs	302 and 303	...	...	...	...	...				
Ditto by dacoits		6	49	4	33	12				
Ditto by robbers		25	38	12	25	1				
Ditto by poison { For sake of robbery		2	1	...	1	...				
Ditto by poison { From other motives		8	13	10	2	1				
Other murder { From motives connected with women		38	61	10	51	...				
Other murder { From other motives		242	560	178	350	19	1	Transferred, and 12 committed.		
Attempt to murder	307	56	94	16	71	6	1	Ditto.		
Culpable homicide	304—308	293	849	279	531	26	1	Died and 12 committed.		
Abetment of suicide	305 and 306	...	1	1	...	...				
Attempt to commit suicide	309	711	543	174	359	8	1	Ditto and 1 ditto.		
Causing miscarriage	312—316	35	43	29	13	1				
Exposure of infant or concealment of birth	317 and 318	155	154	39	104	9	1	Died and 1 transferred.		
Grievous hurt	325 and 326	1,069	1,912	577	1,277	55	2	Ditto and 1 ditto.		
Grievous hurt on grave and sudden provocation	335	36	50	11	37	2				
Hurt	323 and 334	8,725	11,151	5,498	5,562	89	2	Transferred.		
Hurt by dangerous weapons	324	123	168	60	101	3				
Administering stupefying drugs	328	42	48	23	21	2	2	Ditto.		
Causing hurt to extort property or confession	327 329—333	40	100	33	63	2	2	Committed.		
Act dangerous to life and safety	336 and 337	6	4	2	2	...				
Wrongful restraint	341	558	719	433	286	...				
Ditto confinement	342—346	319	333	247	81	5				
Ditto ditto to extort property or confession	347 and 348	18	24	19	5	...				
Assault or use of criminal force	352, 355, 358	5,681	8,673	4,265	4,348	57	3	Transferred.		
Ditto ditto to deter public servant from discharge of his duty	353—356	...	...	...	...	...				
Ditto ditto to woman to outrage her modesty	354	10	9	3	6	...				
Criminal intimidation or insult	504—509	431	525	297	222	6				

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Statement of Offences reported, and Persons tried, convicted, and acquitted for each offence in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1872.

	Section of the Penal Code.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
Causing annoyance in state of intoxication	510	13	24	...	24	...	
Unlawful compulsion of labour	374	14	17	11	6	...	
Buying or disposing of any person as a slave	370 and 371	8	13	7	6	...	
Kidnapping or abduction	363—365, 367—369	189	356	149	176	16	15 Died, committed, escaped, and transferred.
Abducting a woman to compel marriage or defilement	366	23	49	18	25	3	3 Transferred.
Selling, letting, or unlawfully obtaining a woman for purposes of prostitution	372 and 373	32	74	26	40	...	8 Ditto and committed.
Enticing a married woman with criminal intent	498	1,474	1,206	891	303	12	
Fraudulent or unlawful marriages	493—496	64	135	97	35	...	3 Committed.
Adultery	497	59	60	33	22	2	3 Ditto.
Rape	376	207	160	88	69	...	3 Ditto.
Unnatural offences	377	63	65	14	46	3	2 Ditto.
Defamation	500—502	148	185	120	59	6	
Class III.							
Offences against Property with Violence.							
Dacoity	395, 397, 398, 399—402	83	291	71	184	8	28 Committed and transferred.
Preparation or assembly for dacoity		...	...	...	...	...	
Robbery with hurt or deadly weapons — By poisoning or stupefying drugs	394, 397, 398,	2	...	...	...	...	
Robbery with hurt or deadly weapons — By other means	394, 397, 398,	31	48	18	28	...	2 Committed.
Robbery — In a dwelling-house	392 and 393	51	60	31	26	3	
Robbery — On the highway		75	52	30	22	...	
Robbery — Elsewhere		232	252	127	118	5	2 Ditto.
Extortion — In a dwelling-house	384—389	16	16	14	1	1	
Extortion — On the highway		21	17	12	5	...	
Extortion — Elsewhere		441	397	291	97	9	
House breaking or house-trespass in order to commit theft	451—454, 457	19,771	3,423	796	2,541	79	7 Transferred and died.

House-breaking or house-trespass in order to commit an offence other than theft	449 and 450 451—454 457	3,882	580	132	446	2	
House-breaking or house-trespass with preparation for or attempt at hurt ...	452—455 458—460	434	50	5	43	2	
House-breaking or lurking house-trespass	453—456	2,620	196	44	148	4	
Theft of cattle	379, 380, 381,	3,407	1,833	514	1,264	36	19 Ditto and ditto.
Theft ordinary	379, 380, 381,	27,732	14,652	3,377	11,068	178	29 Ditto and ditto escaped.
Dishonestly receiving stolen property	411—414	3,989	6,560	1,910	4 417	141	93 Ditto ditto ditto.
Dishonest misappropriation of property	403 and 404	425	560	221	335	4	
Criminal breach of trust	406—409	813	609	302	291	12	4 Committed and transferred
Cheating	417—420	638	628	335	263	24	2 Ditto, 2 escaped, and 2 sent to Lunatic Asylum.
Miscellaneous Offences.							
Mischief, ordinary	426 and 427 430—433	4,639	5,551	3 296	2,279	75	
Mischief by poisoning or killing cattle	428 and 429	184	258	70	187	1	
Mischief by destroying land marks	434	1[illegible]	33	17	14	2	
Serious mischief by fire	435, 436, 438,	187	127	84	38	4	1 Committed
Criminal trespass or house-trespass	447 and 448	2,285	2,638	1,633	1,240	24	1 Transferred.
Breaking closed receptacle	461 and 462	6	3	2	1	...	
Class IV.							
Not included in the above Classes							
Belonging to a gang of thugs	311	..	...	...	...	..	
Ditto ditto of dacoits	400	...	...	...	...		
Ditto ditto of thieves	411	9	51	3	43	1	4 Committed
Vagrancy without ostensible means of livelihood	295 C. P. C.	291	571	212	332	15	7 Transferred and 8 escaped.
Bad habit and repute	296 and 297 C. P. C.	624	1,094	388	682	9	15 Transferred and escaped.
Criminal breaches of contract of service	490, 491, 492	32	45	17	26	2	
Attempt to commit offences	511	5,243	210	60	150	...	
Abetment of offences	109	19	52	8	42	2	
Breaches of Special Laws for the protection of the Revenue and other subjects.							
To excise spirits and drugs, Act XXI of 1856	...	803	1,204	292	909	3	
„ Opium ditto ditto	...	60	76	13	63	...	
„ Salt and Saltpetre, Act XIV of 1843 and XXXI of 1861	...	583	989	95	890	4	
„ Sea and Land Customs Act XVII. of 1851	...	101	141	10	131	...	
„ Stamps, Act XVII. of 1869	...	63	159	22	99	8	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT, No. II.—(*Continued.*)

Statement of Offences reported, and Persons tried, convicted, and acquitted for each Offence in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1872.

	Section of the Penal Code.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
To Paper Currency, Act XIX. of 1861, and Act I. of 1866	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ Mint, Act XIII. of 1862	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ Post Office Act XIV. of 1866	...	18	19	5	13	1	
„ Electric Telegraph, Act VIII. of 1860	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ Payment of Watchmen, Act XX. of 1856	...	6	11	3	8	...	
„ Municipalities, Act VI. of 1868	...	2,604	6,478	850	5,615	13	
„ Jails, Act VIII. of 1863	...	234	304	49	255	...	
„ Forests, Act VII. of 1865	...	2	2	1	1	...	
„ Ferries, Regulation VI. of 1819	...	14	21	6	15	...	
„ Canals, Act VII. of 1845	...	1,115	3,700	797	2,903	...	
„ Railways, Act XVIII. of 1854, and Act LII. of 1860	...	327	484	80	404	...	
„ Tolls, Act VIII. of 1851	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ Stage Coaches, Act XVI. of 1861	...	40	59	19	40	...	
„ Press, Act XXV. of 1867	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ Gaming and Lotteries, Act III. of 1867	...	185	1,031	292	737	2	
„ Wandering and dangerous lunatics	...	3	3	2	...	...	1 Transferred.
„ Cattle Trespass, Act III. of 1857	...	494	886	326	560	...	
„ Possession of Arms, Act XXXI. of 1860	...	208	253	60	193	...	
„ Foreigners, Act III. of 1864	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ Emigration, Act XIII. of 1864	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Contempt of Court, Section 163	C. PC.	23	31	...	31	...	
Proceeding to compel payment of penalty by accused	219 C. P. C.	10	18	...	18	...	
Ditto ditto by sureties	220 ditto	3	4	...	4	...	
Personal recognizance to keep the peace	280 ditto	380	1,395	179	1,205	11	
Security to ditto ditto	281 and 282 ditto	751	2,727	313	2,409	5	
Default to enter into bond, forfeiture of recognizance	288 and 293 ditto	109	345	15	331	...	
Security for good behaviour	296 ditto	158	378	125	243	8	2 Transferred.
Breach of the peace	318 ditto	43	21	3	18	...	
Vagabonds	101 ditto	4	2	1	...	...	1 Ditto.
Breach of	Section 163 ditto	5	10	6	4	...	
Ditto	305 ditto	1	1	...	1	...	
Maintenance to wife and children	316 ditto	206	171	91	80	...	

Proceeding connected with disputed land or water	...	...	Chapter XXII. C. P. C.	60	171	63	108	...				
Buying property of European soldiers	...	...	...	1	1	...	1	...				
Vagrancy, Europeans	...	...	Act XXI. of 1869	1	1	...	1	...				
Mutiny Act	...	...	XXV. of 1857	1	1	...	1	...				
Cruelty to animals	...	...	XLVIII. of 1860	1	1	...	1	...				
Euuchs	...	...	XXVII. of 1871	2	2	...	2	...				
Escape of prisoner from Jail	...	...	Reg XII. of 1818	1	8	2	6	...				
Income Tax	...	...	Act XVI. of 1870	1	2	...	2	...				
Breach of Cantonment Rules	...	...	XXII of 1864	484	1,281	69	1,212	...				
Octroi Tax	...	...	VI of 1868	13	22	8	14	...				
Registration	...	...	VIII. of 1871	5	15	...	15	...				
Lock Hospital Rules	...	...	ActXXVIof 1868	69	90	2	88	...				
Infanticide	...	...	VIII of 1870	375	539	162	375		1	1	Died.	
Giving liquor to European soldiers	...	...	...	16	22	6	16	...				
Licence Tax	...	...	...	411	467	...	467	...				
Breach of rules of Surace and Puraos	...	...	...	2	3	...	3	...				
Innoculation	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...				
Breach of contract of services by artizans	...	...	Act XIII. of 1859	10	25	6	19	...				
Neglect of duty	...	...	Act V. of 1861	66	92	22	70	...				
Assault, Geo. III., chapter 155	...	...	Sec. 107, Act VII. of 1858.	4	4	3	1	...				
Being found drunk, &c.	...	...	Sec. 34, Act V. of 1861	487	1,086	60	1,026	...				
		Total	...	1,15,569	1,15,949	35,211	79,146	1,242	359	Transferred, died, escaped, and committed.		

JUDICIAL STATEMENT, No. III. (CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing the general result of Criminal Trials in the tribunals of various classes in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1872.

Class of Tribunals.	Number of Persons dealt with					Persons disposed of.								
	Remaining at end of last year.	*Brought to trial during the present year.* By arrest.	*Brought to trial during the present year.* By summons or re-cognizance.	Received by transfer.	Total.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	Remaining at end of the year.	Average number of days during which each case lasted.	Number of witnesses who attended.	Remarks.
Village Officers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Unpaid Magistrates	30	4,020	9,174	3	13,227	3,159	1,898	7,624	511	2	33	7	24,492	
Local and Subordinate paid Magistrates ...	204	13,582	24,622	23	38,431	6,633	4,744	26,462	169	32	391	8	75,792	
Full power Magistrates exercising jurisdiction throughout the District	784	32,563	23,869	331	57,547	8,486	8,611	37,217	2,306	221	706	9	1,45,201	
Chief Magistrates of Districts	84	3,769	2,836	55	6,744	756	924	4,458	399	95	112	9	13,222	
Total Magistracy ...	1,102	53,934	60,501	412	1,15,949	19,034	16,177	75,761	3,385	350	1,242	8	2,58,707	
Sessions Court	337	2,776	99	8	3,220	35	748	1,982	56	34	335	35	13,113	
High Court	...	25	...	...	25	...	9	16	...	...	...	...	121	
Grand Total ...	1,439	56,735	60,600	420	1,19,194	19,069	16,934	77,759	3,471	384	1,577	21	2,71,941	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT, No. IV., CRIMINAL.

Statement showing the punishments inflicted by various Criminal Tribunals in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1872.

	By Village Officers.	By Unpaid Magistrates.	By Sub-Local Paid Magistrates.	By Full Power Magistrates of General Jurisdiction.	By Chief Magistrates of Districts.	By Sessions Court.	By High Court.	TOTAL.	Remarks.
Fined	...	6,955	19,782	15,430	1,701	33	3	43,905	
Imprisoned	...	802	4,639	12,085	1,311	1,726	13	20,576	
Flogged	...	116	857	3,270	409	3	...	4,655	
Ordered to find Security	...	28	2	2,880	517	...	...	3,427	
Imprisoned and fined	...	176	1,081	1,339	213	159	...	2,968	
Ditto and flogged	...	23	100	370	89	2	...	584	
Death	...	...	...	...	...	100	...	100	
Total persons punished ...	...	8,100	26,461	35,374	4,241	2,023	16	76,215	
Fines not exceeding ... Rs. 5 ...	...	6,418	18,097	10,926	1,258	7	...	36,706	
Ditto ditto ... „ 50 ...	...	706	2,737	5,487	579	109	...	9,618	
Ditto ditto ... „ 200 ...	...	7	28	335	67	66	2	505	
Ditto ditto ... „ 1,000 ...	...	...	1	33	12	10	1	57	
Fines exceeding ... „ 1,000 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total No. fines	...	7,131	20,863	16,781	1,916	192	3	46,886	
Total amount of fines	...	18,850	74,913	1,84,131	27,046	18,959	550	3,24,449	
Amount realized...	...	14,781	64,783	1,33,988	19,636	8,885	550	2,42,623	
Ditto paid to injured parties by way of compensation or compromise.	...	930	2,368	5,992	2,042	1,016	150	12,498	
SENTENCES OF IMPRISONMENT.									
Not exceeding 15 days, { Rigorous ...	...	307	1,724	639	83	16	...	2,769	
{ Simple ...	...	43	201	205	25	4	...	478	
Ditto 6 months ... { Rigorous ...	...	592	3,793	7,086	720	188	2	12,381	
{ Simple ...	...	6	75	465	32	23	6	607	
Ditto 2 years ... { Rigorous ...	...	50	27	5,351	745	420	4	6,597	
{ Simple ...	...	...	...	22	7	8	...	37	
Ditto 7 years ... { Rigorous ...	...	3	...	25	2	927	1	958	
{ Simple ...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	6	
Exceeding 7 years ... { Rigorous	...	...	...	...	...	121	...	121	
{ Simple ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total ... { Rigorous ...	...	952	5,544	13,101	1,550	1,672	[illegible]	[illegible]826	
{ Simple ...	...	49	276	692	64	41	6	1,128	
Penal Servitude ... { For terms ...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	4	
{ For life ...	...	...	...	...	...	170	...	170	
Sentenced in addition to imprisonment to ... { Solitary confinement. }	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	4	
{ Forfeiture of property. }	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT, No. V. (CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing the Result of Appeal and Revision in Criminal Cases in the North-Western Provinces, during the year 1872.

Tribunals.	Number of appellants or persons, whose cases were called for revision.	Number of Persons.						Remarks.
		Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences modified.	Sentences reversed.	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending.	
Magistrates of Districts { Appeals from unpaid Magistrates ...	A639	25	338	76	182	15	2	
Magistrates of Districts { Ditto paid ditto ...	2,152	173	1,219	235	464	24	37	
Sessions Court ... { Appeals from unpaid Magistrates ...	12	4	3	...	4	1	...	
Sessions Court ... { Ditto paid ditto ...	3,646	608	2,126	280	526	9	147	
High Court	814	B164	481	181	91	17	44	

A. 1 case struck off in default.

B. These cases were not called for by the High Court. Almost all of them have been received by post and rejected.

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, N.-W. P.:
29th July, 1873.

W. TYRRELL,
Registrar.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT, No. XI. (CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing use of Juries and Assessors in Criminal Courts of the North-Western Provinces, in the year 1872.

Classes of Courts in which Juries or Assessors are employed distinguishing Criminal from Civil Courts	Established or average number of Jury or Assessors in each case and prescribed qualification	Number of cases tried by Jury.	Number of cases with Assessors.	Jury Trials.			Assessors' Trials.		Note showing in what classes of cases Juries and Assessors have been principally employed.	Remarks.
				Verdict in favour of the prosecutor or plaintiff.	Verdict in favour of the accused or defendant	Jury discharged without verdict	Number of cases in which Judges agree with Assessors.	Number of cases in which Judges differed from Assessors.		
Sessions Judges' Court, in North-Western Provinces,	3	2	1,427	1	1	...	A 1,269	158	..	A. Assessors were only employed in all criminal cases, except two in which Jurors were employed A German was charged under Section 3 3, I. P. C., and the other was brought by Mr. J Newman against H Myers.
High Court, North-Western Provinces	12	19	...	11	9	5	B 9	...	...	B Juries were employed in all Criminal Trials.
Total ..	...	21	1,427	12	10	5	1,278	158	...	

High Court of Judicature, N. W. P.,
29th July, 1873.

W TYRRELL,
Registrar

GOVERNMENT 1875 N.W.P.

NOTE ON THE CRIMINAL STATEMENTS FOR 1873.

As the number of offences reported and prosecuted in the year 1872 showed a considerable increase over the figures for the year 1871, so the crime calendar of 1873 is much in advance of that of the previous year.

2. 138,895 offences were reported during the year, 70,752 were prosecuted, and 128,208 persons were under trial. Of these persons, 36,251 were acquitted or discharged, 90,337 were convicted or committed for trial, and 1,215 persons were awaiting trial at the close of the year.

3. The corresponding results in 1871 and 1872 are shown with those of 1873 in the marginal table.

Year.	Reported.	Prosecuted.	Under trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted and committed.	Undisposed of
1871 ...	108,425	56,682	107,668	31,939	74,216	1,002
1872 ...	119,569	63,239	115,949	35,211	79,146	1 212
1873 ...	138,895	70,752	128,208	36,251	90,337	1,915

4. The increase in offences, other than those of violence, reported and prosecuted, shown in the marginal table, is, the Court believes, not due to any general increase of grave crime. The apparent result is probably attributable to the order of Government requiring the Police to investigate cases of theft, in which, although the value of property stolen was in itself small, it was, relatively to the means of the owner, of importance: to the multiplication of offences by the enactment of municipal bye-laws: to increased police efficiency, and to the general accessibility of the Magistrates' Courts in the Mofussil. In the eastern districts an increase in crime against property is generally attributed, and perhaps with some truth, to the prevalence of scarcity and high prices of food during the latter part of the year. In many of the upper and western districts the increase in the number of reported crimes is mainly to be found in petty offences against municipal and local laws, and in house-breaking for the purpose of theft. The Court has received assurances that the record of offences cognizable by the district police is generally kept with greater fidelity than used to be the case.

5. The state of the pending files in the criminal courts at the close of the year was very satisfactory. The heaviest pending file (109) was in the district of Azimgarh, and the next heaviest, (89) is found in Ghazipur; but it was explained that most of these cases were brought to light in or about the last week of the year. Most of the other districts of the province show creditable results in this respect; especially when we remember the very considerable increase in the district averages of offences reported and offences prosecuted, being 4,085 and 2,081 respectively in 1873, against 3,517 and 1,860, in 1872.

The Court regrets to be compelled to except from the general commendation the Court of the Magistrate of the District of Banda.

6. The percentage of persons convicted and committed rose to ·71 in 1873 from ·69, which was the average in 1872, 1871 and 1870. Prosecution was most successful in the districts shown in the margin. Of these districts, Cawnpore, Mainpuri, Basti, Allahabad, Moradabad and Bijnaur maintained the creditable position which they occupied in the years 1871 and 1872.

Cawnpore	...	·84
Azimgarh and Mainpuri	...	·82
Saháranpur	...	·77
Meerut ...	...	·76
Muzaffarnagar	...	·75
Eta, Bijnaur and Etawa	...	·74
Muttra ...	...	·73
Allahabad	...	·73
Basti ...	...	·73
Moradabad	...	·73

The worst results were found in the districts of Garhwal (·55), Hamirpur (·63), Aligarh (·61), Dehra Dún (·62), Benares (·63) and Lalitpur (·64). Of these districts

similarly unfavourable remarks were recorded respecting Garhwal, Hamirpur, Dehra Dún, Benares and Aligarh, in the previous year.

7. Offences against the person of the more heinous sort are shown synoptically for the last six years in the annexed table :—

	1868.	1869.	1870.	1871.	1872.	1873.
Murder	427	380	339	322	321	354
Culpable homicide ...	296	282	215	263	293	285
Grievous hurt ...	909	854	935	1,073	1,069	1,199
Hurt	7,368	6,711	7,788	8,858	8,725	11,695

8. Offences against property are similarly exhibited in the following statement:—

	1868	1869.	1870.	1871.	1872.	1873
Theft	31,199	36,532	26,992	22,541	31,139	35,381
Robbery	532	611	488	404	391	470
Dacoity	113	129	79	80	83	118
House-breaking for theft,	16,568	10,316	17,868	20,238	19,771	23,433

The increase in the offences of house-breaking for theft was to a large extent limited to attempts to commit the crime. These offences were formerly in some Districts erroneously entered under the head of house-breaking with the intent to commit an offence other than theft. Greater accuracy in the compilation of the registers has probably produced the apparent increase in the number of offences reported.

9. 457 cases were reported in 1873 under the Infanticide Act, against 375 in the previous year. 2,039 offences against the Revenue Laws, and 4,580 under the Municipalities' Act were brought before the courts in the year.

10. 3,710 persons were dealt with under the provisions of the law for keeping the peace : 766 persons were required to furnish security for good behaviour ; 314 persons were reported as vagrants, having no means of livelihood; and 5,368 attempts to commit offences were recorded. The Court has seen reason to doubt whether magistrates have always used the powers confided to them under chapter 37 of Act X. of 1872 with due regard to the status and means of the persons dealt with. For example, in the contiguous districts of Moradabad and Bareilly we find that of 326 persons treated under that chapter in Moradabad one person only was confined, while in Bareilly, a large number of the persons (58) so treated were thrown into prison in default of finding the required security. Again, in Benares, till lately notorious for offences against the person, these provisions of the law were worked with marked success against 93 persons in 1873, all of whom, except eight, furnished the security demanded ; but in the greater number of districts a considerable proportion of orders under this chapter ended in the incarceration of the persons concerned. In Farrukhabad 83 persons out of 321 were imprisoned.

11. The second general statement shows the working of the magisterial courts of the provinces in the year under review.

1,242 persons were awaiting trial on the first day of the year; 60,511 persons were arrested, and 65,901 were summoned before the magisterial tribunals ; making in all, with 554 transferred for trial from other parts of the country, a total of 128,208 persons for disposal, against a total of 115,949 in the previous year.

12. These persons were disposed of as follows :—

Discharged without trial	19,210
Acquitted	17,041
Convicted, including committed	90,337
Died, escaped, or transferred	405
Undisposed of at end of the year	1,215

Of the latter, 724 were in custody, and 491 were at large on bail or recognisance.

13. Compared with the results of the three previous years, these figures were—

	In 1870.	In 1871.	In 1872.	In 1873.
Discharged	17,652	17,398	19,034	19,210
Acquitted	17,096	14,541	16,177	17,041
Convicted, including committed,	78,132	74,216	79,146	90,337
Died, escaped, or transferred	516	406	350	405

14. Of the entire number of persons disposed of, ·14 were discharged without trial.

15. The proportion of acquittals was ·13.

16. These results may be regarded as satisfactory, indicating a steady improvement each year, and justifying the assurances received from the local courts that discretion would be exercised in the issue of processes. It is true that in certain courts the number of discharges in the year was still unjustifiably high; but special notice has been taken by the Court of these cases, and amendment in this respect has been promised for the future.

17. 82 cases of more than six weeks' duration were pending at the end of the year,—22 were in Banda, 21 at Jhánsi, 12 in Badaon, 8 in Bijnaur, 4 in Dehra Dún and Hamirpur, 2 in Benares, Farrukhabad, Agra and Muzaffarnagar, and 1 in Aligarh Moradabad and Mirzapur. The procrastination of trials in Banda must be attributed to the magistrate, Mr. E. B. Thornhill, whose conduct in this respect was brought to the notice of Government by this Court. Of the 21 cases unduly protracted in the Jhánsi district, the Gursarai Honorary Magistrates are responsible for no less than 18.

18. The Court has requested the Commissioner of the Jhánsi division to enquire into and report on the fitness of these gentlemen (Raja Kosho Rao and Seeta Ram Nana) to continue to exercise judicial functions.

19. The third general statement summarizes the punishments imposed by the magisterial courts during the year.

They were as follows :—

Fined	48,088
Imprisoned	22,719
Flogged	6,550
Ordered to find security for good behaviour ...	1,683
„ to keep the peace	1,927
„ to enter into recognizance	2,276
Imprisoned and fined	3,114
„ and flogged	784
Fined and flogged	21
Grand total ...	87,162

The total of the previous year amounted to 75,999.

20. The entire amount of fines imposed during the year was Rs. 3,21,037, of which Rs. 2,45,123 or ·76 were realized, and Rs. 14,431 were paid as compensation to injured persons.

21. Of the persons fined, 40,180 were sentenced to fines not exceeding Rs. 5; 10,495 were fined sums not exceeding Rs. 50; 504 persons were sentenced to fines not less than Rs. 50, and not exceeding Rs. 200; and 49 persons were fined in sums ranging from Rs. 200 to Rs. 1,000.

22. 25,423 persons were sentenced to rigorous, and 1,200 persons to simple imprisonment during the year. The various periods of imprisonment thus inflicted were as follows :—

Imprisonment not exceeding 15 days, 3,593 rigorous, and 560 simple ; not exceeding 6 months, 14,349 rigorous, and 620 simple ; not exceeding 2 years, 7,439 rigorous, and 20 simple ; and in excess of two years, 42 rigorous, and no simple.

23. 915 juveniles and 5,635 adults were flogged ; the average number of stripes being 17, and the highest number inflicted in one case being 30.

24. 1,235 persons were imprisoned in default of finding security for being of good behaviour and for keeping the public peace.

25. The foregoing figures for the last five years are summarized in the annexed table.

	Fined.	Imprisoned.	Flogged.	Security for good behaviour.	Security to keep the peace.	Recognizance to keep the peace.	Imprisoned and fined.	Imprisoned and flogged	Fined and flogged.	Total.
In 1869	41,763	28,666	6,384	1,373	1,354	1,992	3,061	517	20	80,130
„ 1870	45,643	16,653	4,140	1,293	1,635	2,129	3,028	535	9	75,065
„ 1871	44,721	14,901	3,280	1,296	1,802	2,370	2,376	408	6	71,352
„ 1872	43,869	18,817	4,652	1,253	2,174	1,810	2,809	582	13	75,999
„ 1873	48,088	22,719	6,550	1,683	1,927	2 276	3,114	784	21	87,414

26. The next (fourth) statement shows the number of witnesses who attended the magisterial courts, and the period of their detention there. 287,957 witnesses were examined in the year, of whom 272,281 were dismissed by the courts on the first day. Of the rest, 15,676 in number, 14,845 were detained between one and three days; 779 were detained above three and less than seven days ; and 54 above seven days. Of these latter, the magistrate of Banda was responsible for as many as 25, and the Hamirpur courts for 22.

27. The average duration of cases in the magisterial courts in the year was eight days, being the same as in the previous year.

The Court is glad to recognize a marked improvement in the despatch of judicial work in many of the districts of the North-Western Provinces ; eminently so in Meerut, Eta and Allahabad, where the duration was four days only; and in Dehra Dún, Cawnpore and Benares, where it was five only.

The duration is still high in Garhwal (21 days), where it is in a measure to be explained from the circumstances of the district, Mirzapur (13 days), Moradabad (11 days), Aligarh (10 days), Ghazipur, Juanpur, Badaon and Basti (9 days).

28. The fifth statement shows the results of appeals from subordinate magistrates to the magistrates of districts. 2,938 such appeals were preferred, of which 182 were rejected *in limine*, 1,660 were dismissed, 1,029 were wholly or partially successful, and 76 remained undecided at the end of the year.

The Magistrate of Juanpur, Mr. R. Wall, was responsible for the large number of 36 undetermined appeals pending at the end of the year. The Court has taken appropriate notice of this failure of duty.

The percentage of successful appeals to the appeals disposed of was as much as ·36.

29. The seventh statement shows in detail the results of appeals to the sessions courts in the provinces.

3,572 persons appealed, 465 appeals were summarily rejected, 2,148 failed, 818 succeeded, and 37 resulted in remands, while 109 remained pending at the close of the year. The percentage of successful appeals in the sessions courts was ·24, being the same as in the previous year. The largest number of appeals appeared in the sessions courts of Shahjahanpur (219), Cawnpore (218), Benares (198), and Ghazipur (188). The smallest number of appeals was in Dehra Dún (14), and Hamirpur and Garhwal (20 each).

30. The eighth statement shows the details of cases committed to the sessions courts during the year 1873.

The sessions courts had 3,259 commitments to dispose of during the year, being 111 more than in the previous year.

The sessions courts disposed of 2,905 of these commitments, convicting 2,258 persons, and acquitting 647, being an average of ·78 convictions against ·72 in the previous year.

347 persons were awaiting trial at the end of the year.

31. The largest number of commitments was made in the districts of Azimgarh (249), Banda (212), Gorakhpur (189), Ghazipur (167), and Bareilly (159).

The percentage of success was highest in Ghazipur (·95), Azimgarh (·92), Badaon and Fatehpur (·88), Mirzapur (·87), Basti (·85), and Moradabad (·84).

The worst results are found in Juanpur (·38), and Bulandshahar (·51).

The heaviest pending files at the end of the year were in the courts of the judges of Azimgurh and Banda. 2,259 persons were punished by the sessions judges in 1873; of whom 22 were fined, 1,928 imprisoned, 12 flogged, 162 imprisoned and fined, 9 imprisoned and flogged, and 125 sentenced to death.

The fines imposed by the sessions judges during the year aggregated Rs. 30,251, of which Rs. 11,596 were realized. 215 persons were sentenced to transportation for life, and one person to transportation for a term of years. Two persons were sentenced by the judge of Ghazipur to solitary confinement in addition to imprisonment; and sentences of forfeiture of property were passed on six persons, five by the judge of Mirzapur, one by the judge of Bareilly.

1,324 cases were tried with the aid of assessors during the year. The judges agreed with the assessors in 1,102, and differed from them in 215 cases.

The great majority of the assessors were drawn from the land-holding, banking and trading classes.

32. 139 persons were sentenced by sessions judges to death. 100 of these sentences were confirmed by the High Court, 24 were modified, and 15 annulled. 875 cases came before the High Court in appeal or revision; the Court modified the order or remanded the case in 207 instances, and annulled the sentence in 127.

300 cases came before the Court under sections 322, 295 and 296 of the new Criminal Procedure Code; the Court confirmed the sentence in 204 cases, modified it in 66, and annulled it in 30.

33. The High Court on the original side disposed of two cases, which occupied one Barrister Judge for two days.

34. In some Districts the Court has seen reason to believe, that the Chief Magistrates have unduly procrastinated the performance of judicial criminal work. The Court continues to be impressed with the very great advantages, direct and indirect, resulting from the practice of those magistrates of the district who find leisure to take a substantial share in the administration of criminal justice. It is undeniable that the magistrate of the district has also other important duties to attend to; but the High Court regrets that these duties should be so onerous as to deprive him of leisure to perform a fair share of case-work; whereby he not only furnishes to his subordinates a local standard and example of good work, but also leaves them more adequate time for the proper discharge of their labours. It was obvious, from the examination of last year's returns, that an unduly heavy burden of work was imposed on the subordinate courts, more especially in the Jhansi and Kumaon divisions; as well as elsewhere in these provinces.

Among the magistrates who earned and received the approval of the Court for their exemplary attention to their judicial duties, Messrs. Lumsden, Willock, C. Robertson, Clifford, Simson, E. S. Robertson, Duthoit, and Boulderson may be specially, mentioned.

35. The Court regrets that more general use is not made of the useful provisions of the law (sections 115 and 146, &c., Act X. of 1872) for holding inquiries and investigations on the scene of an alleged offence by the agency of the subordinate magistracy. Moreover, it is found, that the influence of the magistrate is often more effective than the agency of the Police to unravel a crime with which the inhabitants of the neighbourhood of the scene of the crime have more or less sympathized or of which they are induced by family or other ties to attempt to shield the perpetrator from justice.

36. Among the sessions judges Messrs. Turnbull, Brodhurst, Probyn, Ironside, Sherer and Pollock earned the special commendation of the Court for the zealous and careful administration of criminal justice in the districts under their charge.

37. The compilation of the provincial statements and of this report was delayed by the censurable tardiness in the submission of correct returns from the Banda and Mainpuri judgeships.

The magistrate of Banda was to blame in the former case: the judge's office at Mainpuri in the latter. In Mainpuri also the administration of the judgeship was lamentably impeded by the numerous changes, no less than five, in the year, in the *personnel* of the bench.

38. In the opinion of the Court, the salaries at present paid to the Government Pleaders are inadequate and ought to be considerably augmented, so as to secure the services of efficient Wakeels.

39. The subjoined extracts, extracted from the district reports, appear to the Court as deserving the attention of Government..

ALLAHABAD :
Dated the *September*, 1874.

W. TYRRELL,
Registrar.

Extract paras. 9, 15, and 17 of the Report on the Administration of Criminal Justice in the District of Moradabad, during the year 1873.

PARA. 9.—I entirely concur with the Magistrate that the administration of the district has been successful in respect to the amount of cases adjudicated, but I am not prepared to withdraw the remarks recorded by me last year and approved by the Court with reference to the necessity of the Magistrate's taking his fair share of criminal work. Admitting the multiplicity of his duties as chief executive, I maintain that if any success in prevention of heinous crime is to be attained, he must ensure that his position and influence are felt throughout the police establishment, and this desirable result can only be expected when the Magistrate personally interests himself in their exertions. The Court will, I trust, again concur with me in these remarks.

PARA. 15.—On general subjects, I desire to record my opinion that the condition of the police is extremely unsatisfactory and calls urgently for reform. I need in support of this view only recall to the Court's recollection the case of Sub-Inspector Abdul Kadur transported for murder, caused by torture. That crime was committed within two miles of a Railway Station and within 16 miles of this city, and no complaints were allowed to reach the Magistrate till some days after the death of the victim. In the meantime an inquest, which proved to have been fictitious, was stated by the Sub-Inspector to have been held, and a verdict of suicide was obtained and signed by neighbouring landholders. When the father of the victim at last succeeded in obtaining a hearing, the enquiry was taken up by Inspector Moosee Ruzza, an official of very nearly 60 *summers*, whose age is, I understand, recorded, with reference to the 55 years rules, as 52 in 1873.

He is wholly incapable of actively performing the duties of his position, by hydrocele; but having for many years been regarded as the actual District Superintendent of Police, has managed to retain his position of Inspector and has filled every grade of the police with his relatives and connections.

This officer, having completed his enquiry, found that the crime of murder was committed, but took no steps to arrest the murderers, on the plea that in a translation of the Medical Officer's *post mortem* examination, it was stated that, the deceased had appeared to have suffered from disease of the lungs. He omitted to regard the fact stated by the Civil Surgeon, *viz.*, that such disease would result from suspension of the tortured man with his head downwards, and he disregarded the overwhelming evidence of the witnesses to the murder, who proved to him that the deceased, a young man of 25, was able to sustain life during three days of acute torture. And finally, after the manner of his subordinates, he forwarded Table B., the ready resource of the police department.

It is difficult to conceive anything more damnatory to the whole system. The door of escape secured by the Inspector in this case was the isolated passage in the Medical Report abovementioned, which alone saved him from a charge of complicity in suppressing the truth.

I have had occasion also in cases that have been before me to notice the tampering with the check receipts which are required to be given to persons reporting offences at stations. That is to say, the entries in the check receipt and in the diary do not correspond and are so worded as to admit of a double interpretation.

And I have recently heard that complaints of burglary and robbery have been met on the part of the police by a threat that they would report that the charges were false, and that in fact an intrigue existed among the females of the complainant's household, and that the object of the so-called robbers was in fact to prosecute such intrigue.

The remedy for this state of the police is the weeding out of old and inefficient men and the disruption of the cliquedom which exists throughout its ranks. It is my opinion that no efficiency can be obtained until radical reforms are introduced. I have officially and demi-officially urged these reforms, and trust that my representations may eventually be successful.

PARA. 17 —The Magistrate remarks. "The offences reported and prosecuted show a slight increase on those of last year. It is probable that crime has been more faithfully reported. The police are generally charged with concealing crime, and I believe chiefly from the reason that there is none to bear the onus. From enquiries during the last two years of my stay in this district, I have every reason to believe that the pudhans and zemindars, by settling cases, prevent report being made by the chowkeedars, who of course cannot afford to disobey the headman of their village.

"The number of police has been also so curtailed that they are unable to make frequent rounds, and learn what may be happening in the villages. I believe also that the police have been instructed that it is not for them to learn what may be going on by frequent rounds, as it is for the villagers to come and report at the stations. Such an order must have followed on the reduction of the police, and I see but small chance of effectively checking the concealment of crime. Chowkeedars under the eye and influence of the zemindars cannot in every single instance make a faithful report of the commission of crime.

"I have everywhere endeavoured to bring about a better state of things, and hope that in the course of a few years the practice may entirely cease."

Extract para. 6 of the Report on the Administration of Criminal Justice in the District of Goruckpore, during the year 1873.

PARA. 6.—It is right, however, that I should notice that the increase is to some extent, in my opinion, attributable to a more faithful record of cognizable crime by the district police. Shortly after taking charge of this district, I discovered that such crimes were not faithfully recorded at the police station; the fault did not lie with the *rural* police, who made the necessary report at the police stations, but with the officers in charge of the latter, who, each anxious to excel his neighbour in showing good returns, omitted to enter many offences reported to them in their registers. On discovering this, stringent orders were issued on the subject, and during the year one police officer was tried and convicted of willful neglect of duty in this respect; and two others, against whom there was not sufficient legal proof, were dealt with departmentally for the same offence.

Extract para. 15 of the Report on the administration of Criminal Justice in the District of Azimgurh during the year 1873.

The new Code of Criminal Procedure throws the conduct of Sessions cases and the watching of appeals on this* officer. When the amount of work is looked at, that the salary should remain at Rs. 20 per mensem is a state of things surely calling for reform, but the matter speaks for itself and requires no exposition from me.

Government Vakeel.

Extract para. 3 of the Report on the Administration of Criminal Justice in the District of Ghazeepore, during the year 1873.

I myself was laboring under the same impression that the Magistrate* is, with regard to the inadequacy of the Police force for the criminal population of a district like Ghazeepore;

* See the Magistrate's remarks below.

but this illusion was dispelled by the then Inspector-General of Police, Mr. Carmichael, in his extremely able and lucid report for the North-Western Provinces for the year 1871, in which he went most thoroughly into the question, at the request of Government, and showed very convincingly that Ghazeepore was not under-policed by comparison with the statistics of other districts in these Provinces. Mr. Oldham's acquaintance, however, with the district is of longer date than my own, and we are all indebted to him for a very comprehensive and succinct memoir of the district, from which much of the information for the Government Gazetteer was compiled. I must therefore assume that if his assertion be correct, notwithstanding the opinion expressed by the Inspector-General of Police, there must have been something faulty in the data from which his judgment was formed.

Remarks by the Magistrate of Ghazeepoor.

It is probable that the total outturn of the crops of the khureef harvest fell short of the average outturn by more than a million maunds of grain. The result of this had been the occurrence of a great number of cases of burglary during the rainy season, and of theft since the commencement of the cold season. Simultaneously with this great increase of crime there has been a small decrease (of 5) in the number of cases prosecuted, and, furthermore, the smaller number of cases of "receiving stolen property" seems to indicate a falling off in police activity. The case of this apparent failure in police energy seems to be that the District of Ghazeepore is not provided with an adequate police force.

A perusal of Statement E., Appendix 14 and 15C., of the general police report for 1872, will show that in other parts of the North-Western Provinces, omitting the Benares Division, for every 973 persons, there is one policeman, while in Ghazeepore for every 1,939 persons, there is one policeman. So that one policeman in Ghazeepore has to do as much work as two policemen in the districts of the Meerut, Rohilkhund, Agra, Allahabad, or Jhansie Divisions. The details upon which this statement is based are as follows :—

Divisions.	Number of population to one policeman.
Meerut Division, containing six districts	887
Rohilkhund Division, five districts	1,203
Agra Division, six districts	959
Allahabad, six districts	1,242
Jhansie Division, three districts	582
Average of the five divisions	973
Ghazeepore District	1,939

If the people of the Ghazeepore District were eminently distinguished for their orderly and law-respecting character, this smallness of the police force would undoubtedly be a subject of congratulation. Unfortunately, however, this is not the case. The Ghazeepore Aheers, of whom they are about two hundred thousand, the Bhurs, of whom there are about fifty-six thousand, the *Doosadhs*, of whom there are twenty-eight thousand, and the *Binds*, who number several thousand, are all disposed towards offences against property, and supply thousands of able-bodied men to the habitually criminal population.

Under these circumstances, it is not a matter of wonder that the police force of the district, which is unable to cope with the ordinary and normal crime of the district, find themselves helpless to repress any special outbreak of crime arising from prevailing scarcity or other causes.

The attention of the Inspector-General of Police has been in several annual reports called to the necessity of increasing the strength of the regular police of the district. It is hoped that the results of the administration of the past year have more influence than previous representations have had. I may here mention, that the present allocation of police force in Ghazeepore was based on a statement of population in which, by a clerical error on a large scale, the population was made to appear less by half a million than it actually was in accordance with the returns of the last census. So long as the police force remains so feeble as it is now, it can hardly be expected that the exertions of the District Superintendent and of his subordinates, however strenuous, can be crowned with the success which they deserve.

APPENDIX.

No. 1.

General statement showing the number of offences reported and prosecuted, as well as the number of persons under trial, and those whose cases were disposed of during the year 1873, in the Magisterial Courts, North-Western Provinces.

District.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of offences prosecuted.	Number of persons under trial.	Number of persons whose cases were disposed of.		Number of persons whose cases were left undisposed of at the close of the year.	Percentage of persons convicted and committed to those whose cases were disposed of.
				Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted including committed.		
Sahâranpur ...	3,905	2,716	4,698	1,052	3,610	31	·77
Muzaffarnagar ...	3,878	1,492	2,623	648	1,941	33	·75
Dehra Dûn ...	855	759	1,211	442	742	24	·62
Meerut ...	4,631	3,514	7,469	1,757	5,661	35	·76
Bulandshahar ...	2,622	1,658	3,661	1,197	2,413	48	·67
Aligarh ...	2,973	2,410	4,536	1,742	2,735	53	·61
Eta ...	2,917	1,579	2,784	717	2,039	28	·74
Moradabad ...	8,577	2,569	4,583	1,196	3,324	63	·73
Bijnaur ...	1,799	1,151	2,418	606	1,783	25	·74
Bareilly ...	7,166	2,709	5,072	1,703	3,334	34	·66
Badaon ...	7,005	2,009	3,350	997	2,301	46	·70
Shahjehanpur ...	6,093	2,302	4,161	1,373	2,748	36	·67
Agra ...	5,427	3,287	5,420	1,766	3,630	21	·67
Muttra ...	2,609	1,905	3,821	1,089	2,759	18	·73
Farrukhabad ...	3,297	2,173	4,164	1,170	2,955	29	·71
Mainpuri ...	1,997	1,080	2,299	396	1,859	21	·82
Etawa ...	3,712	1,821	3,303	819	2,445	35	·74
Cawnpore ...	6,178	3,841	6,968	1,067	5,838	18	·84
Fatehpur ...	3,408	1,570	3,107	847	2,230	16	·72
Banda ...	4,287	1,972	3,484	1,023	2,387	67	·70
Hamirpur ...	4,567	1,840	3,202	1,171	2,003	22	·63
Allahabad ...	8,914	4,650	8,175	2,144	6,000	26	·73
Gorakhpur ...	7,499	3,363	5,782	1,616	4,113	49	·72
Basti ...	3,223	1,525	2,606	667	1,834	36	·73
Azimgarh ...	4,409	2,052	3,716	613	2,985	109	·82
Juanpur ...	5,609	2,635	4,514	1,447	3,021	43	·67
Mirzapur ...	3,822	2,232	4,038	1,394	2,578	57	·65
Benares ...	5,858	3,428	5,661	2,092	3,699	42	·63
Ghazipur ...	4,346	2,262	4,208	1,367	2,718	89	·67
Kumaon ...	885	525	729	149	580	...	·79
Garhwal ...	555	209	369	161	200	7	·55
Jhânsi ...	3,427	1,722	2,728	815	1,865	16	·69
Jalaun ...	1,932	1,148	1,943	645	1,256	19	·66
Lalitpur ...	1,113	672	1,210	413	751	34	·64
Total of 1873 ...	138,895	70,752	128,208	36,251	90,337	1,215	·71
Total of 1872 ...	119,669	63,289	115,949	35,211	79,146	1,242	·69
District average of 1873.	4,085	2,081	3,771	1,066	2,657	36	·71
District average of 1872.	3,517	1,860	3,410	1,036	2,325	37	·69

Persons whose cases were transferred for trial in other Districts, or who died or escaped from custody are not shown in this table. Their number is shown in table 2 as 105 for the whole of the North-Western Provinces.

No. 2.

Statement showing the general results of Criminal Trials before the various Magisterial Authorities in the Districts of the North-Western Provinces during the year 1873.

Districts.	Number of persons dealt with.					Persons disposed of.				Remaining at the end of the year.				
	Remaining at end of last year.	*Brought to trial during the year.* By arrest.	*Brought to trial during the year.* By summons or recognizance.	Received by transfer.	Total.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted including committed.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	In custody.	On bail or recognizance.	Number of local enquiries by Sub-Magistrates.	Number of cases pending above six weeks at the end of the year.	Percentage of convictions in cases committed.
Saharanpur	25	1,854	2,815	4	4,698	551	501	3,610	5	26	5	3	...	·69
Muzaffarnagar	19	802	1,802	...	2,623	332	316	1,941	1	28	5	6	2	·79
Dehra Dún	6	616	589	...	1,211	292	150	742	3	10	14	...	4	·81
Meerut	29	3,361	4,075	4	7,469	1,259	498	5,661	16	13	22	...	...	·75
Bulandshahar	67	1,094	2,496	4	3,661	1,001	196	2,413	3	41	7	8	...	·63
Aligarh	25	1,866	2,635	10	4,536	853	889	2,735	6	33	20	1	1	·71
Etá	10	1,315	1,456	3	2,784	450	267	2,039	5	18	5	12	...	·80
Moradabad	72	1,195	3,306	10	4,583	734	462	3,324	10	27	26	35	1	·72
Bijnaur	12	1,109	1,297	...	2,418	168	438	1,783	4	20	5	43	8	·74
Bareilly	99	1,938	3,033	2	5,072	545	1,158	3,324	1	25	9	20	...	·85
Budaon	35	1,605	1,703	7	3,350	454	513	2,301	6	21	25	56	12	·83
Shahjehanpur	38	2,201	1,920	2	4,161	178	1,105	2,748	4	29	7	20	...	·84
Agra	26	2,445	2,688	261	5,420	657	1,109	3,630	3	8	13	30	2	·72

Mutra	6	1,465	2,345	5	3,821	550	489	2,759	5	4	14	...	...	·73
Farrukhabad	41	1,783	2,322	18	4,164	641	529	2,955	10	14	15	3	2	·78
Mainpuri	29	1,098	1,172	...	2,299	90	503	1,859	23	8	13	...	...	·74
Etawa	36	1,168	2,089	10	3,303	366	453	2,445	4	27	8	94	...	·63
Cawnpore	12	2,718	4,232	1	6,963	48	1,019	5,888	40	4	14	1	...	·76
Fatehpur	34	1,554	1,508	11	3,107	538	309	2,230	14	15	1	15	...	·87
Banda	91	2,023	1,347	13	3,484	501	522	2,337	7	43	24	7	22	·89
Hamirpur	59	1,708	1,421	14	3,202	782	389	2,003	6	9	13	53	4	·72
Allahabad	5	3,850	4,319	1	8,175	1,807	837	6,000	5	9	17	14	...	·81
Gorakhpur	101	3,711	1,965	5	5,782	984	632	4,113	4	18	31	152	...	·75
Basti	40	1,568	935	63	2,606	292	375	1,834	69	22	14	...	...	·71
Azimgarh	74	2,666	967	9	3,716	261	352	2,985	9	80	29	29	...	·93
Jaunpur	14	1,848	2,641	11	4,514	998	449	3,021	3	23	20	321	...	·29
Mirzapur	59	1,995	1,973	11	4,038	841	553	2,578	9	47	10	...	1	·86
Benares	50	3,478	2,320	13	5,861	1,390	702	3,699	28	8	34	50	2	·69
Ghazipur	73	2,422	1,698	15	4,208	681	686	2,718	34	57	32	1	...	·92
Kumaon	2	267	459	1	729	112	87	580	...	...	...	...	...	·69
Garhwal	5	102	262	...	369	106	55	200	1	...	7	10	...	...
Jhansi	13	1,807	903	5	2,728	529	286	1,865	32	5	11	60	21	·75
Jalaun	24	1,143	755	21	1,943	340	305	1,256	23	10	9	...	...	·58
Lalitpur	11	726	453	20	1,210	379	34	751	12	22	12	...	...	·100
Total ...	1,242	60,511	65,901	554	128,208	19,210	17,041	90,337	405	724	491	1,044	82	·75

No.

Statement showing the degrees of punishment inflicted by the several Magisterial

District.	NUMBER OF PERSONS PUNISHED.												
	Fined.	Imprisoned.	Flogged.		Ordered to find security for good behaviour.	Ordered to find security to keep the peace.	Ordered to enter into recognizance.	Ordered to maintain wife and children.	Ordered to refrain from taking possession of land or water.	Imprisoned and fined.	Imprisoned and flogged.	Fined and flogged.	Total persons punished.
			Juveniles.	Adults.									
Sahâranpur ...	2,282	603	26	126	79	94	221	7	39	61	27	...	3,565
Muzaffarnagar ...	1,316	367	18	73	31	34	43	...	...	26	2	...	1,910
Dehra Dún ...	495	102	6	54	7	4	45	...	5	10	...	...	728
Meerut ...	4,434	565	62	159	148	...	92	3	5	102	25	...	5,595
Bulandshahar ...	1,313	511	33	62	55	...	311	2	22	61	22	...	2,392
Aligarh ...	1,688	608	5	98	99	57	6	3	...	64	17	...	2,645
Etah	998	591	8	47	79	35	86	...	...	74	26	A4	1,948
Moradabad ...	1,736	709	25	76	38	326	23	...	...	243	6	...	3,182
Bijnaur ...	939	356	10	58	26	7	129	...	10	164	8	...	1,707
Bareilly ...	1,939	1,276	30	135	95	58	215	3	...	100	22	...	3,183
Budaon ...	998	771	12	110	96	55	56	1	...	60	20	...	2,179
Shahjehanpur ...	1,315	782	3	184	31	251	...	7	...	73	16	...	2,662
Agra	2,035	828	67	346	51	5	82	...	8	70	34	...	3,521
Muttra ...	1,763	611	29	90	23	...	110	...	...	50	4	...	2,680
Farrukhabad ...	1,506	732	15	65	48	321	79	...	...	52	18	1	2,837
Mainpuri ...	1,053	405	22	74	53	15	45	1	1	67	23	...	1,759
Etawa	1,336	549	38	138	54	...	70	4	15	110	40	...	2,356
Cawnpore ...	3,912	1,389	17	197	83	2	133	...	3	54	31	1	5,727
Futehpur ...	1,109	551	23	118	8	146	..	1	7	150	37	1	2,151
Banda	682	894	24	306	25	23	119	1	2	122	21	...	2,219
Hamirpur ...	860	855	36	76	9	50	14	3	1	36	9	B1	1,930
Allahabad ...	3,954	1,121	58	380	33	87	18	11	2	147	75	...	5,886
Gorakhpur ...	1,503	1,299	52	706	127	14	24	12	5	151	55	1	3,949
Basti	484	849	45	229	25	6	...	...	5	106	26	2	1,777
Azimgarh ...	865	971	27	409	88	32	67	...	...	262	35	2	2,758
Jaunpur ...	1,770	733	24	174	38	6	41	6	10	157	15	...	2,983
Mirzapur ...	1,078	699	43	191	58	109	68	7	8	151	55	...	2,467
Benares ...	1,916	993	72	281	44	93	6	10	11	112	62	2	3,602
Ghazipur ...	1,284	665	13	196	77	83	106	4	4	101	21	...	2,554
Kumaon ...	391	45	4	31	12	7	14	1	...	21	2	...	528
Garhwal ...	187	8	2	2	1	...	33	2	...	15	...	...	209
Jhansi	889	657	24	182	13	3	8	...	...	62	22	6	1,859
Jalaun	484	484	17	175	C9	D4	C12	3	...	35	4	...	1,227
Lalitpur ...	319	240	16	87	15	...	...	2	...	46	2	...	727
Total ...	48,058	22,719	915	5,635	1,633	1,927	2,276	94	158	3,114	784	21	87,414

A. & B.—These men were also imprisoned.

3.

Tribunals of the Districts, North-Western Provinces, during the year 1873.

DETAIL OF SENTENCES.

NUMBER OF PERSONS.

Fines.

Not exceeding Rs. 5.	Not exceeding Rs. 50.	Not exceeding Rs. 200.	Not exceeding Rs 1,000.	Total number of fines.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid to injured parties by way of compensation or amends.
					Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1,885	441	13	4	2,343	12,821	10,518	779
1,149	189	5	...	1,343	6,638	5,755	134
460	42	3	...	505	2,360	2,059	199
3,787	716	32	1	4,536	21,400	17,036	194
1,044	314	14	2	1,374	10,298	7,704	174
1,476	263	7	6	1,752	9,890	6,689	229
733	338	5	...	1,076	8,080	7,122	391
1,529	428	17	5	1,979	16,365	13,034	434
799	275	28	1	1,103	10,208	6,791	206
954	340	42	3	1,339	8,089	8,011	536
642	400	14	2	1,058	11,232	10,199	523
1,067	307	13	1	1,388	9,007	7,674	621
1,764	313	25	3	2,105	12,443	7,863	347
1,442	367	4	...	1,813	9,303	7,523	165
1,190	351	14	4	1,559	10,325	7,994	244
913	200	7	...	1,120	5,557	4,491	204
1,104	332	12	...	1,448	9,668	7,150	979
3,548	398	21	...	3,967	14,319	11,741	767
899	308	50	3	1,260	15,801	8,654	594
652	150	2	...	804	4,025	3,215	500
811	85	1	...	897	2,563	2,447	351
3,459	610	37	4	4,101	21,903	15,936	1,467
1,107	529	19	...	1,655	13,022	10,078	1,669
325	262	5	...	592	5,974	3,363	141
655	452	22	...	1,129	11,836	7,375	893
1,442	489	5	...	1,936	11,623	9,729	402
929	291	9	...	1,229	8,414	6,051	214
1,560	429	19	2	2,030	11,910	3,870	452
976	396	13	...	1,385	10,944	8,334	826
291	101	19	1	412	5,163	3,216	88
104	41	7	...	152	1,569	889	123
828	114	3	5	950	5,202	2,239	140
371	148	4	1	524	4,048	3,279	208
274	76	13	1	364	4,037	2,225	77
40,180	10,495	504	49	51,228	3,21,037	2,45,123	14,431

C. Five persons were also fined. D. Three persons were also imprisoned.

No. 3.

Statement showing the degrees of punishment inflicted by the several Magisterial Tribunals of the Districts, North-Western Provinces, during the year 1873—(concluded).

District.	DETAIL OF SENTENCES.												
	Number of Persons.												
	Imprisoned.										*Flogging.*		
	Not exceeding.												
	15 days.		6 months.		2 years.		7 years.		Total.		Average number of stripes.	Highest number of stripes in any one case.	Persons imprisoned in default of security.
	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.			
Saháranpur ...	48	23	365	13	242	...	...	...	655	36	20	30	40
Muzaffarnagar ...	76	7	157	5	150	...	...	...	383	12	18	30	20
Dehra Dún ...	10	5	48	...	49	...	...	...	107	5	14	30	6
Meerut ...	39	22	365	21	246	...	...	...	650	43	19	30	127
Bulandshahar ...	88	33	315	18	139	1	...	...	542	52	20	30	40
Aligarh ...	131	18	323	19	196	...	2	...	652	37	20	30	86
Etah	101	27	353	15	199	...	...	...	653	42	24	30	52
Moradabad ...	177	14	508	12	247	...	...	...	932	26	17	30	14
Bijnaur ...	92	18	309	10	99	...	...	...	500	28	16	30	14
Bareilly ...	216	14	810	25	332	1	...	...	1,358	40	18	30	95
Badaon ...	84	17	448	26	276	...	...	...	808	43	17	30	62
Shahjehanpur ...	129	19	474	10	239	...	...	...	842	29	20	30	19
Agra	135	15	521	10	250	1	...	...	906	26	15	30	45
Muttra ...	158	18	335	11	143	...	...	...	636	29	17	30	17
Farrukhabad ...	113	14	439	13	223	...	...	...	775	27	13	30	28
Mainpuri ...	65	2	204	5	216	1	2	...	487	8	19	30	20
Etawa	84	18	461	14	120	...	...	...	E 665	32	16	30	33
Cawnpore ...	119	30	814	36	373	...	2	...	1,308	66	14	30	28
Futehpur ...	119	12	411	5	191	...	...	...	721	17	18	30	6
Banda	157	26	627	7	218	2	...	...	1,002	35	14	30	25
Hamirpur ...	283	13	532	1	72	...	...	...	887	14	10	30	8
Allahabad ...	198	44	626	61	411	3	...	...	1,235	108	16	30	52
Gorakhpur ...	33	5	707	40	720	...	...	...	1,450	45	17	30	124
Basti	101	10	610	37	223	...	...	...	934	47	14	30	22
Azimgarh ...	179	31	462	40	549	6	1	...	1,191	77	21	30	52
Juanpur ...	138	16	511	25	214	...	...	...	863	42	14	30	2
Mirzapur ...	83	18	517	17	269	1	...	...	869	36	16	30	67
Benares ...	84	15	869	45	144	1	9	...	1,106	61	18	30	37
Ghazipur ...	22	14	392	16	340	...	3	...	757	30	20	30	59
Kumaon ...	3	...	34	5	24	2	...	...	61	7	15	30	5
Garhwal ...	...	1	11	2	9	...	...	...	20	3	23	30	...
Jhánsi	125	30	424	19	132	...	11	...	692	49	16	30	13
Jalaun	158	5	265	20	71	1	6	...	500	26	16	30	3
Lalitpur ...	45	6	102	16	113	...	6	...	266	22	16	30	14
Total ...	3,593	560	14,349	620	7,439	20	42	...	25,423	1,200	17	30	1,235

E. The two lunatic prisoners sent to the Lunatic Asylum, Agra, have been excluded from these items.

No. 4.

Statement showing the number of witnesses who attended the Magistrates' Courts, and the period of their detention.

District.	Number of witnesses who attended.	Number of witnesses detained.			Percentage of witnesses detained.		
		Above one day.	Above three days.	Above seven days.	Above one day.	Above three days.	Above seven days.
Saháranpur	9,472	59	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarnagar ...	4,742	230	5	...	·5	...	...
Dehra Dún... ...	1,415	...	...	...	...	...	...
Meerut	10,429	247	19	...	·2	...	...
Bulandshahar ...	6,608	228	3	...	·3	...	...
Aligarh	10,831	135	...	...	·1	...	...
Eta	6,792	162	9	...	·2	...	...
Moradabad	11,416	816	30	...	·7	...	...
Bijnaur	5,900	440	23	...	·7	...	...
Bareilly	14,828	471	8	...	·1	...	...
Badaon	13,648	290	4	...	·2	...	...
Shahjehanpur ...	9,389	1,198	34	2	·12	...	...
Agra	11,123	401	25	...	·3	...	...
Muttra	8,360	...	...	...	...	...	...
Farrukhabad ...	11,797	145	...	...	·1	...	...
Mainpuri	6,661	32	45	...	...	...	...
Etawa	7,473	318	...	...	·4	...	...
Cawnpore	9,974	149	26	...	·2	...	...
Fatehpur	6,538	753	84	5	·11	·1	...
Banda	7,955	981	122	25	·12	·2	...
Hamirpur	5,838	297	71	22	·5	·1	...
Allahabad	15,598	1,359	...	...	·8	...	...
Gorakhpore ...	13,640	1,490	33	...	·11	...	...
Basti	6,068	608	28	...	·10	...	...
Azimgarh	8,891	291	...	...	·3	...	...
Juanpur	14,080	728	97	...	·5	...	...
Mirzapur	11,804	966	27	...	·7	...	...
Benares	13,048	769	22	...	·5	...	...
Ghazipur	10,418	438	3	...	·4	...	...
Kumaon	885	3	...	...	...	...	...
Garhwal	874	7	...	...	...	...	...
Jhánsi	4,744	410	26	...	·9	1	...
Jalaun	4,330	161	25	...	·3	...	...
Lalitpur	2,388	260	10	...	·10	...	...
Total ...	287,957	14,845	779	52	·5	...	...

No. 5.

Statement showing the results of the appeals from the orders of the Assistants preferred to the Magistrates of the Districts during the year 1873.

Name and designation of Magistrate.	Number of appellants.	Number of Persons.					Remarks.
		Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences reversed or modified.	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending.	
Saháranpur	76	...	46	29	1	...	
Muzaffarnagar	35	9	9	13	...	4	
Dehra Dún...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Meerut	194	7	136	13	33	5	
Bulandshahar	51	...	46	5	...	...	
Aligarh	229	13	105	108	1	2	
Eta	106	6	68	32	...	...	
Moradabad...	103	1	59	43	...	...	
Bijnaur	85	...	58	27	...	...	
Bareilly	51	8	30	13	...	...	
Badaon	52	3	25	24	...	...	
Shahjehangur	33	2	11	20	...	...	
Agra	117	20	70	24	...	3	
Muttra	252	1	137	109	5	...	
Farrukhabad	76	17	49	10	...	...	
Mainpuri	40	1	28	11	...	...	
Etawa	100	...	67	27	...	6	
Cawnpore	131	2	71	58	...	...	
Fatehpur	134	16	45	73	...	...	
Banda	31	2	1	25	...	3	
Hamirpur	64	5	22	37	...	...	
Allahabad	54	2	30	19	...	...	
Gorakhpur...	143	21	61	34	5	2	
Basti	122	...	96	26	...	...	
Azimgarh	55	6	36	12	...	1	
Jaunpur	226	21	115	49	5	36	
Mirzapur	79	4	36	39	...	...	
Benares	134	1	82	36	...	15	
Ghazipur	33	...	30	3	...	...	
Kumaon	26	4	9	13	...	...	
Garhwal	34	1	21	11	...	1	
Jhánsi	25	9	5	11	...	...	
Jalaun	37	...	25	7	5	...	
Lalitpur	3	...	1	1	1	...	
Total	2,938	182	1,660	962	58	76	

No. 6.

Statement showing the average number of days during which each case lasted in the Courts of Magistrates of the Districts and their Subordinates during the year 1872 and 1873.

District.	Average duration of cases in the Magisterial Courts.					
	For the year 1872.			*For the year 1873.*		
	Year.	Month	Day.	Year.	Month.	Day.
Sahàranpur	...	...	8	...	...	7
Muzaffarnagar	...	...	12	...	...	6
Dehra Dún...	...	...	5	...	...	5
Meerut	...	...	4	...	...	4
Bulandshahar	...	...	7	...	...	7
Aligarh	...	...	9	...	...	10
Eta	...	...	6	...	...	4
Moradabad...	...	...	11	...	...	11
Bijnaur	...	...	7	...	...	6
Bareilly	...	...	7	...	...	6
Badaon	...	...	8	...	...	9
Shahjehanpur	...	...	6	...	...	6
Agra	...	...	7	...	...	7
Muttra	...	...	8	...	...	7
Farrukhabad	...	...	9	...	...	7
Mainpuri	...	...	8	...	...	7
Etawa	...	...	5	...	...	7
Cawnpore	...	...	7	...	...	5
Fatehpur	...	...	8	...	...	8
Banda	...	...	9	...	...	7
Hamirpur	...	...	6	...	...	6
Allahabad	...	...	6	...	...	4
Gorakhpur...	...	...	8	...	...	9
Basti	...	...	8	...	...	9
Azimgarh	...	...	8	...	...	8
Juanpur	...	...	11	...	...	9
Mirzapur	...	...	10	...	...	13
Benares	...	...	4	...	...	5
Ghazipur	...	...	8	...	...	9
Kumaon	...	...	9	...	...	9
Garhwal	...	...	17	...	...	21
Jhànsi	...	...	7	...	...	9
Jalaun	...	...	9	...	...	7
Lalitpur	...	...	14	...	...	9
Average duration ...	...	...	8	...	...	8

No. 7.

Statement showing the detailed result of appeals to the Sessions Courts during the year 1873.

I. APPEALS.

District.	Number of appellants.	Number of Persons.					Remarks.
		Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences reversed or modified.	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending.	
Saharanpur	179	11	146	20	...	2	
Muzaffarnagar ...	86	6	56	20	...	4	
Dehra Dūn	14	1	13	...	...	...	
Meerut	153	17	111	20	1	4	
Bulandshahar ...	96	9	67	16	...	4	
Aligarh	162	17	73	50	1	21	
Eta	93	6	48	35	...	6	
Moradabad	132	7	77	40	...	8	
Bijnaur	95	2	46	36	...	11	
Bareilly	103	1	82	13	...	7	
Badaon	60	1	41	14	...	4	
Shahjehanpur ...	219	15	157	37	4	6	
Agra	134	56	35	42	...	1	
Muttra	156	87	58	10	1	...	
Farrukhabad ...	164	2	138	24	...	...	
Mainpuri	67	...	46	20	...	1	
Etawa	72	...	45	10	13	4	
Cawnpore	218	57	83	67	5	6	
Fatehpur	67	24	23	19	...	1	
Banda	41	6	30	2	1	2	
Hamirpur	20	8	11	1	...	...	
Allahabad	92	10	56	24	1	1	
Gorakhpur	107	4	79	21	1	2	
Basti	36	2	33	1	...	...	
Azimgarh	149	...	115	34	...	...	
Juanpur	78	17	40	17	...	4	
Mirzapur	89	1	54	32	...	2	
Benares	198	46	86	64	2	...	
Ghazipur	188	5	114	63	2	4	
Kumaón	99	31	40	22	2	4	
Garhwal	20	6	10	3	1	...	
Jhānsi	67	5	53	7	2	...	
Jalaun	38	4	21	13	...	...	
Lalitpur	78	1	61	16	...	...	
Total ...	3,572	465	2,148	813	37	109	

No. 8.

Statement of the detailed results of commitments to Sessions Courts during the year 1873.

II. COMMITMENTS.

Districts.	Number of persons committed, including those awaiting trial at the end of the last year.	*Persons disposed of.*		Persons remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.	Percentage of persons convicted to total number disposed of.
		Convicted including those whose sentences were referred for confirmation to the High Court.	Acquitted.		
Sahâranpur	47	32	14	1	·70
Muzaffarnagar ...	42	33	9	...	·79
Dehra Dûn	17	11	6	...	·65
Meerut	66	39	16	11	·70
Bulandshahar	78	37	35	6	·51
Aligarh	105	57	23	25	·71
Eta	91	72	17	2	·80
Moradabad	152	112	21	19	·84
Bijnaur	85	41	16	27C	·72
Bareilly	159	108	36	14D	·74
Badaon	91	59	8	24	·88
Shahjehanpur ...	133	97	34	2	·74
Agra	109	70	27	12	·72
Muttra	81	59	16	6	·79
Farrukhabad	124	99	22	3	·82
Mainpuri	102	59	42	1	·58
Etawa	93	50	29	14	·63
Cawnpore	127	89	30	8	·75
Fatehpur	103	75	10	18	·88
Banda	212	147	32	33	·82
Hamirpur	52	30	13	9	·70
Allahabad	141	114 F.	24	2	...
Gorakhpur	189	119	40	30	·75
Basti	84	60	11	13	·85
Azimgarh	249	196	17	36	·92
Jaunpur	46	17	27	2	·38
Mirzapur	121	99	14	8	·87
Benares	117	80	35	2	·70
Ghazipur	167	152	8	7	·95
Kumaon	15	11	4	...	·73
Garhwal	...	...	...	...	...
Jhânsi	4	2	1	1	·66
Jalaun	33	22	10	1	·68
Lalitpur	24	10	...	14	·100
Total ...	3,259	2,258	647	347	·78

C. 1 Died.
D. 1 Absconded.
E. 4 Died.
F. 1 Person died in Jail, before trial by the Sessions Judge.

No. 9.

Statement showing the amount of business disposed of by the Sessions Judges during the year 1873.

Names of Sessions Judge and District.	Commitments. Number of persons. Committed including those awaiting trial at the end of last year.	Convicted and sentenced.	Sentenced to death referred for confirmation.	Acquitted.	Remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.	Appeals. Number of persons. Number of Appellants.	Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences modified.	Sentences reversed.	Remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.
Aligarh ... { S. N. Martin, Esq., ... / H. Lushington, „ ...	196	4 / 115	... / 10	7 / 33	27	257	2 / 21	4 / 117	... / 35	6 / 45	27
Moradabad ... W. J. R. Carnac, „ ...	237	143	10	37	46 A	227	9	123	44	32	19
Saháranpur ... W. G. Probyn, „ ...	106	73	3	29	1	279	18	215	8	32	6
Bareilly ... G. P. Money, „ ...	250	153	14	44	38 B	163	2	123	11	16	11
Shahjehanpur ... { H. B. Henderson, „ ... / J. Power, „ ...	11 / 122	10 / 78	... / 9	1 / 33	... / 2	34 / 185	2 / 13	24 / 133	3 / 14	4 / 16	10
Agra ... ... H. G. Keene, „ ...	190	123	6	43	18	290	143	93	15	37	2
Farrukhabad ... F. Thompson, „ ...	124	93	6	22	3	154	2	138	9	13	...
Cawnpore ... J. H. Prinsep, „ ...	230	155	9	40	26	285	81	106	45	45	7
Banda ... C. Grant, „ ...	264	165	12	45	42	61	14	41	2	2	2
Gorakhpur ... { A. L. M. Phillippe, „ ... / G. B. Pasly, „ ...	86 / 187	62 / 112	2 / 3	22 / 29	... / 32 C	32 / 114	4 / 2	25 / 87	... / 2	3 / 17	... / 3
Allahabad ... { B. W. Colvin, „ ... / J. C. Robertson, „ ... / H. W. Dashwood, „ ... / R. C. Oldfield, „ ...	41 / 85 D / ... / 15	30 / 70 / ... / 8	1 / 5 / ... / ...	10 / 9 / ... / 5	... / ... / ... / 2	24 / 47 / 10 / 11	1 / 2 / ... / ...	15 / 29 / 9 / 3	... / 7 / ... / 5	8 / 2 / 1 / 2	... / ... / ... / 1

Meerut	G. D. Turnbull,	,,	144	68	8	51	17	249	26	178	25	12	8
Azimgarh	J. W. Sherer,	,,	249	192	4	17	36	149	...	115	25	9	...
Juanpur	M. Brodhurst,	,,	2	...	...	...	2	39	16	13	1	9	...
	W. R. Benson,	,,	6	3	1	2	...	18	1	13	1	3	...
	J. W. Power,	,,	7	5	1	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...
	J. B. Ironside,	,,	31	6	1	24	...	20	...	13	...	3	4
Mirzapur	J. W. Power,	,,	26	18	5	1	8	26	...	22	1	3	2
	J. B. Ironside,	,,	95	73	3	13		63	1	32	12	16	
Benares	M. Brodhurst,	,,	81	54	...	25	2	96	20	59	6	11	...
	W. R. Benson,	,,	36	25	1	10	...	102	26	27	25	24	...
Ghazipur	J. B. Ironside,	,,	18	14	...	3	7	46	...	31	6	9	4
	R. F. Saunders,	,,	149	136	2	5		142	5	83	40	10	
Mainpuri	H. Lushington,	,,	12	6	1	5	...	10	...	6	...	4	...
	G. Palmer,	,,	65	34	2	29	...	70	...	43	16	11	...
	W. Lane,	,,	61	32	3	26	...	26	...	25	1	...	...
	S. S. Melville.	,,	57	31	...	11	15	33	...	17	1	10	5
Kumaon	Colonel H. Ramsay,		15	9	2	4	...	119	37	50	4	24	4
Jhansi	A. R. Pollock,	,,	31	11	3	1	16	83	6	67	3	7	...
	B. W. Colvin,	,,	30	17	3	10	...	100	4	68	...	28	...
	Total,		8,259	2,128	130	647	347	3,572	465	2,148	367	477	115

A. 1 Died.

B. 1 Absconded.

C. 4 Died.

D. 1 Died in Jail before trial.

No. 10.

Statement showing Degrees of Punishment inflicted by the Sessions Judges during the year 1873.

Districts.	Number of Persons.													DETAIL OF SENTENCES.																							
														Number of Persons.																							
														Imprisonment, Penal Servitude.																							
														Fined.							Not exceeding				Exceeding 7 years.		Total.				Transportation.		Sentenced in addition to Imprisonment.				
																					Two years.		Seven years.															
	Fined.	Imprisonments.	Flogged.		Ordered to find security for good behaviour.	Ordered to find security to keep the peace.	Ordered to enter into recognizance.	Ordered to maintain wife and children.	Ordered to refrain from taking possession of land and water.	Imprisoned and fined.	Imprisoned and flogged.	Fined and flogged.	Sentenced to death.	Total persons punished.	Not exceeding Rs. 200.	Not exceeding Rs. 1,000.	Exceeding Rs. 1,000.	Total number of fines.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid to injured parties by way of compensation or amends.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	For terms.	For life.	Solitary confinement.	Forfeiture of property.	Average number of stripes.	Highest number of stripes.
			Adults.	Juveniles.																																	
Saharanpur ...	...	68	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	3	76	5	...	...	5	200	100	50	14	3	34	...	14	...	62	3	...	2	...	...	...	...		
Meerut	...	55	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	...	...	8	76	10	3	...	13	1,880	1,566	166	25	...	37	...	3	...	63	...	...	5	...	...	...	...		
Aligarh	...	117	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	129	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	36	...	66	...	10	...	112	...	...	5	...	...	20	2		
Moradabad ...	...	101	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42	...	...	10	153	38	3	1	42	4,560	3,473	100	61	...	68	...	2	...	131	..	...	12	...	...	...	...		
Bareilly	...	150	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	14	167	...	...	...	...	...	A50	...	36	5	81	...	2	...	126	5	...	20	...	1	20	30		
Shahjehanpur ...	1	81	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	9	97	5	2	...	7	1,830	30	...	18	6	30	...	14	...	62	6	...	19	...	...	...	...		
Agra	4	102	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	1	...	6	129	17	2	..	19	684	245	124	21	14	41	...	24	...	86	14	...	18		..	30	30		
Farrukhabad ..	1	88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	6	99	5	...	...	5	320	120	...	33	...	36	...	11	...	80	...	...	12	...	...	...	...		

Mainpuri	...	...	102	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	6	109	1	...	...	1	10	A100	...	22	...	59	...	14	...	95	...	...	8	...	...	...	...
Cawnpore	...	3	134	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	13	4	...	9	164	12	4	...	16	3,580	167	75	46	...	73	...	10	...	129	...	...	22	...	...	17	30
Banda ...	...	...	157	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	12	177	8	...	...	8	250	339	119	38	...	105	...	2	...	145	...	...	20	...	...	...	...
Allahabad	...	1	106	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	3	114	3	...	...	3	126	26	25	13	3	52	...	34	...	99	3	...	8	...	...	30	30
Gorakhpur	...	1	141	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	32	...	...	3	179	11	9	13	33	12,150	4,015	...	38	1	123	...	7	...	168	1	...	4	...	...	20	20
Azimgarh	...	...	180	...	6	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	4	196	6	...	...	6	450	16	...	25	...	127	...	8	...	160	...	...	20	...	...	25	25
Jaunpur ...	...	...	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	17	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	9	...	12	...	...	2	...	...	...	...
Mirzapur	...	...	88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	8	99	2	1	...	3	285	285	...	27	1	37	...	14	...	78	1	1	11	...	5	...	...
Benares ...	...	...	76	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	1	80	2	1	...	3	735	700	...	27	...	41	...	7	...	75	...	...	4	...	...	...	...
Ghazipur	...	11	131	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	2	152	15	4	...	19	3,141	364	15	47	7	71	...	11	...	129	7	...	3	2	...	...	...
Kumaon ...	...	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	2	11	1	...	...	1	50	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	6	...	...	3	...	...	...	...
Jhansi ...	...	...	29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	12	...	7	...	23	1	...	5	...	...	...	...
Total	...	22	1,928	2	10	1	...	...	...	...	162	9	...	125	2,259	141	29	14	184	30,251	11,596	674	531	41	1,100	...	210	...	1,841	41	1	215	2	6	23	30

A Of the year 1872.

No. 11.

Statement showing the particulars of trials held by the Sessions Judges with the aid of assessors during the year 1873.

Name of Districts.	Average number of assessors in each cases.	Number of cases tried with assessors.	Number of persons of classes employed as assessors.							Number of cases in which Judge agreed with assessors.	Number of cases in which Judge differed from assessors.	Number of persons fined for non-attendance.	Amount of fine imposed.	Remarks.
			Pleaders.	Bankers or traders.	Engaged in service.	Agriculturists.	Landholders.	Other classes.	Total.					
Saháranpur ...	3	26	1	30	...	...	40	7	78	23	3	...	...	
Muzaffarnagar ...	3	22	...	29	...	...	33	4	66	14	8	...	...	
Dehra Dún ...	3	26	1	30	...	...	40	7	78	23	3	...	...	
Meerut ...	3	39	...	16	28	...	51	3	108	34	5	...	...	
Bulandshahar ...	3	30	...	20	34	...	36	...	90	26	4	...	...	
Aligarh ...	2	31	...	23	8	...	33	12	76	29	2	1	10	
Etá	2	33	...	25	5	...	38	3	71	26	7	2	10	
Moradabad ...	3	56	...	6	...	...	25	...	31	35	21	...	...	
Bijnaur ...	3	25	...	4	...	...	17	...	21	20	5	...	...	
Bareilly ...	4	82	...	71	26	...	63	86	246	79	3	3	6	
Badaon ...	3	31	...	35	13	...	33	12	93	30	1	...	...	
Shahjehanpur ...	3	80	...	44	26	...	170	...	240	69	11	2	6	
Agra	3	51	28	103	7	1	12	2	153	36	15	15	59	
Muttra ...	3	32	3	64	...	...	15	8	90	28	4	16	120	
Farrukhábad ...	3	64	...	14	21	...	42	115	192	53	11	3	29	
Mainpuri ...	3	B31	...	3	...	...	87	...	90	21	5	1	50	
Etawa	3	A30	...	38	11	...	35	...	84	18	10	...	...	
Cawnpore ...	3	56	39	73	9	...	47	...	168	46	10	...	...	
Fatehpur ...	3	32	...	49	12	...	35	...	96	25	7	...	...	
Banda	3	63	6	65	36	9	56	17	189	49	14	...	...	
Hamirpur ...	3	22	10	25	...	...	31	...	66	18	4	1	25	
Allahabad ...	3	54	...	47	19	...	81	15	162	52	2	...	...	
Gorakhpur ...	3	75	1	96	5	...	110	...	212	60	15	1	2	
Basti	3	34	...	...	...	...	100	...	100	31	3	...	...	
Azimgarh ...	3	92	18	10	...	...	253	...	276	81	11	...	...	
Juanpur ...	3	20	...	19	...	10	25	5	59	17	3	1	50	
Mirzapur ...	3	54	...	50	25	43	60	14	192	41	13	...	...	
Benares ...	3	53	...	117	15	1	20	...	153	51	2	...	...	
Ghazipur ...	3	46	4	8	1	3	102	10	128	44	2	...	...	
Kumaon ...	3	8	...	5	4	...	15	...	24	8	...	...	...	
Garhwal ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Jhánsi	3	3	1	4	...	...	3	1	9	1	2	...	...	
Jalaun ...	3	17	...	21	...	...	12	18	51	9	8	...	...	
Lalitpur ...	3	6	3	13	...	...	...	2	18	3	1	...	...	
Total ...	3	1,324	110	1,157	315	67	1,720	341	3,710	1,102	215	46	397	

A. In 2 cases the assessors' opinions were dispensed with.
B. In 5 ditto ditto ditto.

No. 12.

Statement showing the average number of days during which each trial and appeal lasted in the Courts of Sessions Judge during the year 1873.

District.	Trial of committed cases.		Appeals.	
	Number of trials disposed of during the year 1873.	Average number of days during which each trial lasted.	Number of appeals disposed of during the year 1873.	Average number of days during which each appeal lasted.
Sahàranpur	67	37	172	15
Muzaffarnagar				
Dehra Dûn				
Meerut	39	37	93	26
Bulandshahar	30	64	64	27
Aligarh	31	1	80	12
Eta	33	1	58	18
Moradabad	61	49	102	29
Bijnaur	30	45	49	34
Bareilly	86	19	96	14
Badaon	31	43	56	23
Shahjehanpur	80	25	139	26
Agra	51	23	77	9
Muttra	32	29	64	10
Farrukhabad	67	24	109	9
Mainpuri	31	17	41	16
Etawah	30	58	51	7
Cawnpore	56	17	163	9
Fatehpur	32	29	37	10
Banda	63	55	40	21
Hamirpur	22	77	20	35
Allahabad	67	17	58	9
Gorakhpur	75	53	81	10
Basti	34	67	20	7
Azimgarh	92	47	80	35
Juanpur	21	43	59	22
Mirzapur	64	20	58	10
Benares	59	46	139	6
Ghazipur	85	35	107	12
Kumaon	8	26	65	13
Garhwal	...	...	17	21
Jhânsi	3	28	47	16
Jalaun	17	41	26	21
Lalitpur	6	75	56	16
Total ...	993	40	2,324	17

1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.	16.	17.	18.	19.	20.	21.	22.	23.	24.
		Number of Persons whose Cases were disposed of by the High Court.											Number of persons whose cases were called for on perusal of monthly statements.				Number of persons whose cases were submitted under Sections 322 and 295 and 296 Act X of 1872.						
		Old Law.					New Law.																
District.	Names of Session Judges.	Number of persons whose cases were referred to High Court.	Number of persons whose sentences passed agreed with Sessions Judge's recommendation.	Number of persons in which it differed.	Number of persons acquitted by High Court.	Total.	Number of persons sentenced to death referred to High Court for confirmation.	Number of persons in which sentences of death was passed by Sessions Judge and confirmed by High Court.	Number of persons in which it was modified.	Number of persons acquitted by High Court.	Total.	Grand Total.	Number in which order was confirmed.	Number modified or remanded.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Number confirmed.	Number modified.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Percentage of columns 4 and 9 to columns 3 and 8.	Percentage of columns 14 and 18 to totals of columns 17 and 21.	
Aligarh ...	S. N. Martin, Esq., ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	5	12	...	...	12	...	·100	
	H. Lushington, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	10	3	4	3	10	10	32	14	4	50	32	9	1	42	·30	·70	
Moradabad ...	W. J. R. Carnac, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	9	7	...	2	9	9	33	18	19	70	1	1	7	9	·78	·43	
Saharanpur ...	W. J. Probyn, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	3	3	16	10	1	27	8	1	1	10	·100	·65	
Bareilly ...	G. P. Money, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	14	12	2	...	14	14	43	24	9	76	5	5	3	13	·85	·54	
Shahjehanpur ...	H. B. Henderson, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	1	1	...	4	5	...	1	...	1	...	·17	
	J. Power, „ ...	1	...	1	...	1	10	9	1	...	10	11	18	1	...	19	5	3	...	8	·82	·85	
Agra ...	H. G. Keene, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	12	10	...	2	12	12	27	10	11	48	20	1	3	24	·83	·65	
Farrukhabad ...	F. Thompson, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	6	2	4	...	6	6	21	6	11	38	8	...	1	9	·33	·62	
Cawnpore ...	J. H. Prinsep, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	9	8	1	...	9	9	54	9	10	73	31	10	1	42	·89	·74	
Banda ...	C. Grant, „ ...	1	1	...	...	1	14	9	5	...	14	15	27	29	4	60	2	...	...	2	·66	·47	

Gorakhpur ...	A. L. M. Phillipps,	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	19	9	2	30	3	...	..	3	·100	·66
	G. B. Pasley,	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	2	...	3	3	14	10	8	32	8	...	...	8	·33	·55
Allahabad ...	G. H. Ricketts,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	10	1	...	...	1	...	·100
	B. W. Colvin,	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	1	1	...	3	2	...	...	2	·100	·75
	J. C. Robertson,	...	...	...	...	...	5	2	2	1	5	5	14	7	...	21	8	...	...	8	·40	·76
Meerut ...	G. D. Turnbull,	...	...	...	...	...	8	7	1	...	8	8	20	1	5	26	2	1	...	3	·88	·76
Azimgarh ...	J. W. Sherer,	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	...	...	5	5	41	5	...	46	8	22	3	33	·100	·82
Mirzapur ...	J. W. Power,	...	...	...	...	...	6	2	...	4	6	6	11	10	...	21	1	...	4	5	·33	·46
	J. B. Ironside,	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	...	4	4	11	7	1	19	9	1	...	10	·100	·69
Benares ...	M. Bradhurst,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	24	13	3	40	10	3	...	13	...	·64
	W. B. Benson,	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	2	2	16	7	...	23	5	...	2	7	·100	·70
Ghazipur ...	J. B. Ironside,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	2	5	23	2	...	2	4	...	·67
	R. F. Saunders,	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	...	1	2	2	41	5	3	49	16	6	1	23	·50	·79
Mainpuri ...	H. Lushington,	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	·100	...
	G. Palmer,	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	2	2	8	1	7	16	1	...	1	2	·100	·50
	W. Lane,	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	1	...	3	3	6	...	...	6	2	...	...	2	·66	·100
Kumaon ...	Colonel H. Ramsay,	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	...	2	3	3	5	1	...	6	1	...	...	1	·33	·86
Jhansi ...	A. R. S. Pollock, Esq.,	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	2	2	...	4	4	8	1	2	...	3	·100	·9
	B. W. Colvin,	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	3	3	2	2	...	4	...	...	...	...	·100	·50
	Colonel A. G. Davidson,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1	14	20	...	...	...	...	...	·25
Total,		...	2	1	1	...	2	139	100	24	15	139	141	541	207	127	875	204	66	30	300	·72	·63

No. 14.

Statement of business disposed of in the High Court of Judicature at Allahabad, in the year 1873—Original side.

	Cases.			Before					
	Remaining from the year 1872.	Filed in the year 1873.	Disposed of on merits.	One Civilian Judge.	One Barrister Judge.	One Barrister and one Civilian Judges.	One Barrister and two Civilian Judges.	Otherwise disposed of.	Days of sitting.
Criminal Trials ...	...	2	2	...	2 cases *	...	...	...	2 Days.

* Note.—The accused were discharged in both Cases.

No. 15.

Statement showing the nature of the penalties inflicted under the judgment of the High Court.

* Penalties.	Appellate jurisdiction.		Original jurisdiction.		
	1873.	1872.	1873.	1872.	
Death	100	74	...	...	
Transportation for life	26	28	...	...	
Ditto above 7 years and not exceeding 14 years	1	...	...	...	
Imprisonment for life	...	...	...	...	
Ditto above 12 years and not exceeding 21 years	1	3	...	...	
Ditto ditto 5 ditto 10 ditto	45	26	...	...	
Ditto not exceeding 5 years ...	189	176	...	16	
The average duration of cases in the High Court was 14 days ...	...	...	...	...	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. II.

Statement of offences reported, and persons tried, convicted, and acquitted, for each offence, in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1873.

	Section of the Penal Code.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
CLASS I.							
Offences against the State, the Public, and Justice.							
Waging war against the Queen	121	...	...	...	...	...	
Collecting arms or concealing attempt to wage war	122 and 123	...	...	...	...	...	
War or depredation on allied powers	125—127	...	...	...	...	...	
Abetment of mutiny	131 and 132	...	...	...	...	...	
Relating to Coin, Stamps, Weights and Measures.							
Counterfeiting coin	231—238	9	12	1	10	...	1 Transferred.
Diminishing or altering coin	246—249	9	10	...	10	...	
Passing or possessing bad or altered coin	239—243 250—254	126	134	42	92	...	
Counterfeiting stamp or selling same	255—259	...	...	...	...	...	
Using as genuine counterfeit stamp, or effacing or altering the same,	260—263	18	20	7	13	...	
Making, using, or possessing false weights or measures ...	264—267	179	269	86	179	4	
Against Public Justice.							
Personating public servant or soldier	140—170 171	34	46	3	43	...	
Concealing design to commit offence	118—120	3	7	4	3	...	
Omitting to give information of offence, or giving false information,	176 and 177 181 and 182 202 and 203	630	921	286	620	15	

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	Section of the Penal Code.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
Against Public Justice—(concluded.)							
Causing disappearance of evidence	201—204	32	71	8	62	1	
Resisting, obstructing, or omitting to assist public servant ...	183—187 189 and 190	447	1,024	283	739	2	
Disobedience of lawful order causing injury...	188	811	2,195	458	1,734	3	
Intentional insult or interruption in judicial proceeding ...	228	256	287	10	277	...	
Harbouring an offender	212 and 216	38	72	46	21	2	3 Committed.
Taking gift to screen offender	213—215	155	266	113	146	7	
Resistance to lawful apprehension and rescue	244, 225—226	132	250	37	196	13	4 Transferred.
Escape from lawful custody or transportation		65	78	14	59	4	1 Ditto.
Absconding from, avoiding, or disobeying summons or notice to attend or produce, or refusing to answer or sign.	172—175, 178—180	397	703	129	574	...	
By Public Servants.							
Taking valuable thing by or to influence public servant ...	161—165	127	166	80	84	2	
Public servant acting illegally to injure any person	166 and 167	11	15	4	11	...	
Ditto unlawfully trading	168 and 169	1	2	...	2	...	
Ditto fraudulently defeating punishment or forfeiture ...	217 and 218	12	16	7	9	...	
Ditto wilfully making order or decision contrary to law ...	219 and 220	1	1	...	1	...	
Ditto intentionally omitting to apprehend or permitting to escape.	221 and 222	17	28	6	21	1	
Ditto negligently suffering escape	129—223	52	84	10	73	1	
Breach of Police Act by Police Officers	Act V. of 1861.	167	296	52	243	1	
False evidence, false complaint, or claims and forgery.							
Giving false evidence	193—196	353	596	207	364	22	3 Committed.
Fabricating false evidence	193—196	9	16	2	14	...	
Making, issuing, or using, false statement or certificate ...	197—200	6	8	4	4	...	

False personation in judicial proceeding	205—229	14	19	6	13	...		
Fraudulent claim to, or concealment of property, or suffering of decree	206—208 and 421 424	16	32	23	9	...		
False claim in court of justice	209 and 210	38	46	12	33	1		
False charge of offence	211	195	234	89	145	...		
Frivolous or vexatious complaint	C. P. C. 469	269	377	9	368	...		
Forgery or fraudulently using or possessing forged document ...	465—466 467 and 468, 469—471 473—477	149	248	122	105	15	6 Transferred.	
Making or using false trade marks	482—489	2	5	3	2	...		
Public Nuisances.								
Public nuisances under Penal Code	269—294	744	1,514	298	1,213	3		
Nuisances under Police or Municipal and Local Act ...	...	4,461	9,416	324	9,015	12	65 Transferred and escaped.	
Relating to the Public Peace.								
Rioting or unlawful assembly	143—153 & 157 & 158	255	1,800	485	1,295	20		
Omitting to inform or prevent riot	154—156	4	15	6	9	...		
Affray	160	374	1,652	310	1,342	...		
Offences relating to religion	295—298	43	73	34	38	1		
CLASS II.								
OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON.								
Murder by thugs	302 and 305	...	...	...	...	...		
Ditto by dacoits		4	48	10	37	...	1 Escaped.	
Ditto by robbers		20	30	14	12	4		
Ditto by poison... For sake of robbery		20	40	9	29	2		
Ditto by poison... From other motives		56	110	23	80	7		
Other murder ... From motives connected with women ...		35	92	20	62	7	3 Committed.	
Other murder ... From other motives		219	478	130	294	25	29 Ditto.	
Attempt to murder	307	53	69	17	42	2	8 Ditto.	
Culpable homicide	304—308	285	664	184	453	17	10 Ditto and died.	
Abetment of suicide	305 and 306	77	58	7	50	1		
Attempt to commit suicide	309	721	557	170	382	3	2 Escaped and died.	
Causing miscarriage	312—316	36	63	42	21	...		
Exposure of infant or concealment of birth	317 and 318	132	120	41	74	3	2 Died.	
Grievous hurt	325 and 326	1,144	1,978	583	1,324	68	3 Transferred and died, &c.	
Grievous hurt on grave and sudden provocation	335	55	95	12	83	...		
Hurt	323—334	11,520	11,404	5,319	6,016	69		
Hurt by dangerous weapons	324	175	236	90	142	4		
Administering stupefying drugs	328	38	47	13	31	1	2 Transferred and died.	

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CLASS II.—*(concluded.)*							
Causing hurt to extort property or confession	327—329 and 333	40	112	14	98	...	
Ditto death by negligence	...	5	30	6	24	...	
Act dangerous to life and safety	336, and 337	12	22	4	18	...	
Wrongful restraint	341	857	846	471	364	11	
Ditto confinement...	342—346	379	383	275	103	5	
Ditto ditto to extort property or confession	347 and 348	16	26	18	8	...	
Assault or use of criminal force	352—355 and 358	5,940	9,177	4,285	4,852	40	
Ditto to deter public servant from discharge of his duty ...	353—356	17	15	6	7	2	
Ditto to woman to outrage her modesty	354	27	26	11	13	2	
Criminal intimidation or insult	504—509	465	554	328	219	7	
Causing annoyance in state of intoxication	510	29	38	2	36	...	
Unlawful compulsion of labour	374	5	5	...	5	...	
Buying or disposing of any person as a slave	370 and 371	10	13	5	8	...	
Kidnapping or abduction	363—365 and 367—369	207	394	134	220	20	20 Transferred, died, and escaped.
Abducting a woman to compel marriage or defilement ...	366	28	51	11	38	2	
Selling, letting, or unlawfully obtaining a woman for purposes of prostitution.	372 and 373	23	62	32	22	6	2 Transferred.
Enticing a married woman with criminal intent	498	1,727	1,293	934	337	21	1 Ditto.
Fraudulent or unlawful marriages	493—496	63	55	47	5	3	
Adultery	497	79	82	56	24	...	2 Ditto.
Rape	376	211	152	86	63	2	1 Committed.
Unnatural offences	377	68	74	22	51	1	
Defamation	500—502	188	191	134	54	3	
CLASS III.							
OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY WITH VIOLENCE.							
Dacoity	395—397 and 398	118	489	89	340	24	36 Transferred.

Preparation or assembly for dacoity	399—402	1	18	8	5	...		
Robbery with hurt or deadly weapons. By poisoning or stupefying drugs ...	394, 397, 398	5	5	...	5	...		
Robbery with hurt or deadly weapons. By other means	394, 397, 398	57	116	26	82	5	3	Committed.
Robbery ... In a dwelling house	392 and 393	32	33	16	17	...		
Robbery ... On the high way	392 and 393	82	68	32	34	2		
Robbery ... Elsewhere	392 and 393	294	398	176	196	21	5	Transferred.
Extortion ... In a dwelling house	384—389	30	9	9	...	...		
Extortion ... On the high way	384—389	36	18	17	1	...		
Extortion ... Elsewhere	384—389	634	371	262	103	1		
House-breaking or house-trespass in order to commit theft ...	451, 454, 457	23,483	4,354	910	3,325	118	6	Died.
House-breaking or house-trespass in order to commit an offence other than theft.	449, 450 451, 454, 457	1,015	233	62	159	12		
House-breaking or house-trespass with preparation for or attempt at hurt.	452, 455 458, 460	80	49	12	31	...	6	Absconded.
Ditto ditto ditto ditto ...	459	1	3	2	1	...		
House-breaking or lurking house-trespass	453—456	3,095	266	65	198	1	1	Transferred.
Theft of cattle	379, 380, 381	5,794	3,442	769	2,596	37	40	Ditto.
Theft ordinary	379, 380, 381	29,587	16,282	3,700	12,785	147	49	Ditto.
Dishonestly receiving stolen property	411—414	4,552	7,527	2,032	5,292	155	48	Ditto.
Dishonest misappropriation of property	403 and 404	691	718	254	462	2		
Criminal breach of trust	406—409	914	768	351	385	25	7	Died and transferred.
Cheating	417—420	787	741	398	321	13	9	Escaped and transferred.
Miscellaneous offences.								
Mischief ordinary	426 and 427 430—433	6,370	5,480	2,939	2,506	35		
Mischief by poisoning or killing cattle	428 and 429	325	549	115	422	12		
Mischief by destroying land marks	434	30	75	29	46	...		
Serious mischief by fire	435, 436, 438	261	168	108	56	3	1	Transferred.
Criminal trespass or house-trespass	447 and 448	2,880	2,855	1,702	1,129	21	3	Died and escaped.
Breaking closed receptacle	461 and 462	8	16	1	15	...		
CLASS IV.								
NOT INCLUDED IN THE ABOVE CLASSES.								
Belonging to a gang of thugs	311	...	1	...	...	...	1	Transferred.
Ditto ditto of dacoits	400	1	5	...	1	...	4	Ditto.
Ditto ditto of thieves	401	3	13	1	12	...		
Vagrancy without ostensible means of livelihood	C. P. C. 504	314	593	246	327	13	7	Ditto.
Bad habit and repute	C. P. C. 505 and 506	487	1,057	292	723	31	11	Ditto.
Criminal breaches of contract of service	490 and 492	198	41	28	13	...		
Attempt to commit offences	511	5,368	203	57	145	...	1	Died.
Abetment of offences	109	27	77	12	64	...	1	Transferred.

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CLASS IV.—*(concluded.)*							
Breaches of Special Laws for the protection of the Revenue and other subjects.							
To Excise Spirits and Drugs, Act XXI. of 1856	...	995	1,302	283	1,007	11	1 Transferred.
Ditto Opium ditto	...	111	158	39	116	3	
Ditto Salt and Saltpetre, Act XIV. of 1843 and Act XXXI. of 1861.	...	633	914	73	840	1	
Ditto Sea and Land Customs, Act XVII. of 1861	...	193	294	11	283	...	
Ditto Stamps, Act XVII. of 1869	...	107	174	36	137	1	
Ditto Paper Currency, Act XIX. of 1861, and Act I. of 1866 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Ditto Mint, Act XIII. of 1862	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Ditto Post-office, Act XIV. of 1866	...	32	38	13	25	...	
Ditto Electric Telegraph, Act VIII. of 1860	...	10	12	...	12	...	
Ditto Payment of Watchmen, Act XX. of 1856	...	3	4	1	3	...	
Ditto Municipalities, Act VI. of 1868	...	4,580	7,681	969	6,709	3	
Ditto Jails, Act VIII. of 1863	...	204	232	17	213	2	
Ditto Forest, Act VII. of 1865	...	1	1	1	...	...	
Ditto Ferries Regulation, VI. of 1819	...	9	12	7	5	...	
Ditto Canals, Act VII. of 1845	...	1,952	4,759	236	3,813	9	1 Escaped.
Ditto Railways, Act XVIII. of 1854, and Act LII. of 1860 ...	...	376	478	94	379	4	1 Transferred.
Ditto Tolls, Act VIII. of 1851	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Ditto Stage Coaches, Act XVI. of 1861...	...	44	46	3	43	...	
Ditto Press Act, XXV. of 1867	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Ditto Gaming and Lotteries, Act III. of 1867	...	160	965	193	760	12	
Ditto Wandering and Dangerous Lunatics	...	...	3	...	...	...	
Ditto Cattle Trespass, Act III. of 1857	...	646	1,143	392	748	3	3 Transferred.
Ditto Possession of Arms, Act XXXI. of 1860	...	203	260	70	188	2	
Ditto Foreigners, Act III. of 1864	...	...	3	2	...	1	
Ditto Emigration, Act XIII. of 1864	...	5	7	4	3	...	
Contempt of Court	C. P. C., 435 and 436	27	40	...	40	...	

Proceeding to compel payment of penalty by accused	Ditto 396 ...	20	23	...	23	...		
Ditto ditto by sureties	Ditto 397 ...	16	18	3	15	...		
Personal recognizance to keep the peace	Ditto 489 and 499	696	1,764	167	1,597	...		
Security to ditto ditto	Ditto 490 and 491	595	1,946	231	1,715	...		
Default to enter into bond, forfeiture of recognizance	Ditto 497 ...	165	678	72	606	...		
Security for good behaviour	Ditto 505 ...	386	766	183	563	20		
Breach of the peace	Ditto 530 ...	51	93	2	91	...		
Recovery of penalty from principal	Ditto 502 ...	48	73	8	65	...		
Maintenance to wife and children	Ditto 536 ...	334	404	114	290	...		
Proceeding connected with disputed land or water	Ditto 530 ...	92	185	71	114	...		
Buying property of European soldiers	...	2	3	...	3	...		
Vagrancy, Europeans...	Act XXI. of 1869 ...	3	5	...	5	...		
Mutiny	„ XXV. of 1857 ...	...	...	...	...	...		
Cruelty to animals	„ XLVIII. of 1860,	24	27	2	25	...		
Eunuchs	„ XXVII. of 1871,	9	17	3	14	...		
Escape of prisoner from Jail	Reg. XII. of 1818 ...	...	...	...	...	...		
Income Tax	Act XVI. of 1870 ...	...	...	...	...	...		
Breach of Cantonment Rules	„ XXII. of 1864 ...	1,978	1,923	60	1,863	...		
Octroi Tax...	„ VI. of 1868 ...	1	3	3	3	...		
Mooktyar Rules	...	1	2	2	...	...		
Registration	„ VIII. of 1871 ...	4	12	6	6	...		
Lock Hospital Rules	„ XXVI. of 1868,	92	245	13	232	...		
Infanticide	„ VIII. of 1870 ...	457	770	182	588	...		
Breach of contract of service by artizans	„ XIII. of 1859 ...	2	3	3	...	...		
Neglect of duty	„ V. of 1861 ...	66	81	10	69	2		
Court Fees Act	„ XLVII. of 1870,	1	1	...	1	...		
Being found drunk, &c.	Sec. 34, Act V. of 1861,	404	884	60	824	...		
Total	...	138,895	128,208	36,251	90,337	1,215	405 Died, escaped, and transferred.	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. III.

Statement showing the general result of Criminal Trials in the tribunals of various classes in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1873.

Class of tribunals.	No. of persons dealt with.					Persons disposed of.								Remarks.
	Remaining at end of last year.	*Brought to trial during the present year.*		Received by transfer.	Total.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	Remaining at end of the year.	Average number of days during which each case lasted.	Number of witnesses who attended.	
		By arrest.	By summons or recognizance.											
Village officers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Unpaid Magistrates	38	3,445	7,070	...	10,549	2,082	1,928	6,493	...	3	43	8	20,287	
Local and subordinate paid Magistrates ...	391	15,040	27,508	18	42,957	7,379	5,747	29,479	77	68	207	8	90,947	
Full power Magistrates exercising jurisdiction throughout the district	706	37,632	28,340	432	67,110	8,996	8,505	45,100	3,455	214	840	8	1,61,994	
Chief Magistrates of districts	112	4,393	2,983	104	7,592	753	861	5,282	451	120	125	7	14,729	
Total Magistracy ...	1,242	60,511	65,901	554	1,28,208	19,210	17,041	86,354	3,983	405	1,215	8	2,87,957	
Sessions Court...	335	2,698	18	182	3,233	32	590	2,139	104	21	347	36	11,746	
High Court	...	2	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	9	
Grand Total ...	1,577	63,211	65,919	736	131,443	19,242	17,633	88,493	4,087	426	1,562	22	299,712	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. IV.

Statement showing the punishments inflicted by various Criminal Tribunals in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1873.

	By village officers.	By unpaid Magistrates.	By sub-local paid Magistrates.	By full power Magistrates of general jurisdiction.	By Chief Magistrates of Districts.	By Sessions Court.	By High Court.	Total.	Remarks.
Fined	...	5,908	21,798	18,606	1,776	22	...	48,110	
Imprisoned	...	608	6,000	14,540	1,571	1,928	...	24,647	
Flogged	...	255	1,220	4,383	692	12	...	6,562	
Ordered to find security	...	36	...	5,203	647	1	...	5,887	
Imprisoned and fined	...	139	1,264	1,527	184	162	...	3,276	
Ditto and flogged	...	35	166	492	91	9	...	793	
Death	...	...	...	...	...	125	...	125	
Total persons punished	...	6,981	30,448	44,751	4,961	2,259	...	89,400	
Fines not exceeding Rs. 5,	...	5,601	18,535	14,750	1,291	13	...	40,193	
Fines not exceeding „ 50,	...	451	3,352	6,098	594	103	...	10,598	
Fines not exceeding „ 200,	...	2	61	375	66	25	...	529	
Fines not exceeding „ 1,000,	...	...	...	43	6	29	...	78	
Fines exceeding „ 1,000,	...	...	...	...	...	14	...	14	
Total number of fines	...	6,054	21,948	21,266	1,960	184	...	51,412	
		Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.	Rs. a. p.		Rs. a. p.	
Total amount of fines	...	13,879 7 9	78,081 7 2	2,03,804 15 3	25,271 2 3	30,251 13 0	...	3,51,188 13 5	
Amount realized	...	11,971 3 4	19,926 2 6	1,95,862 9 11	17,363 7 3	11,596 0 9	...	2,56,719 7 9	
Ditto paid to injured parties by way of compensation or compromise	...	847 8 0	3,348 10 3	8,933 1 6	1,302 0 6	674 7 3	...	15,105 11 6	

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		By village officers.	By unpaid Magistrates.	By sub-local paid Magistrates.	By full power Magistrates of general jurisdiction.	By Chief Magistrates of Districts.	By Sessions Court.	By High Court.	Total.	Remarks.
Sentences of Imprisonment.			No.	No.	No.	No.	No.		No.	
Not exceeding 15 days	Rigorous	...	182	2,459	827	125	1	...	3,594	
	Simple	...	34	243	233	50	6	...	366	
Ditto 6 months	Rigorous	...	518	4,598	8,369	924	41	...	14,390	
	Simple	...	21	88	476	35	27	...	647	
Ditto 2 years	Rigorous	...	25	38	6,666	709	489	...	7,928	
	Simple	...	1	...	18	1	8	...	28	
Ditto 7 years	Rigorous	...	...	...	11	31	1,100	...	...	
	Simple	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Exceeding 7 years	Rigorous	...	...	...	...	...	290	...	290	
	Simple	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total	Rigorous	...	726	7,095	15,813	1,789	1,841	...	27,264	
	Simple	...	56	331	727	86	41	...	1,241	
Penal servitude	For terms	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	
	For life	...	...	...	...	...	215	...	215	
Sentenced in addition to imprisonment to	Solitary	...	...	...	123	2	...	...	125	
	Confinement	...			...	...	2	...	2	
	Forfeiture of property	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	6	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. V.

Statement showing the result of Appeal and Revision in Criminal Cases in the North-Western Provinces during the year 1873.

Tribunals.	Number of appellants or persons whose cases were called for revision.	Number of Persons.						Remarks.
		Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences modified.	Sentences reversed.	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending.	
Magistrates of Districts — Appeals from unpaid Magistrates ...	403	24	212	67	88	...	12	
Magistrates of Districts — Appeals from paid Magistrates ...	2,535	158	1,448	333	474	58	64	
Sessions Courts — Ditto from unpaid Magistrates ...	23	1	19	...	2	...	1	
Sessions Courts — Ditto from paid Magistrates ...	3,549	464	2,129	347	464	37	108	
High Court	908	177 A	541	199	127	8	33	

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, N.-W. P.:
The 27th July, 1847.

A. These cases were not called for by the High Court. Almost all of them have been received by post and rejected.

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Registrar.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. XI.

Statement showing use of Juries and Assessors in Criminal Courts of the North-Western Provinces in the year 1873.

Classes of Courts in which Juries or Assessors were employed, distinguishing Criminal from Civil Courts.	Established or average number of Jury or Assessors in each case and prescribed qualification.	Number of cases tried by Jury.	Number of cases with Assessors.	*Jury trials.*			*Assessors' trials.*		Note showing in what classes of cases Juries and Assessors have been principally employed.	Remarks.
				Verdict in favour of the prosecutor or plaintiff.	Verdict in favour of the accused or defendant.	Jury discharged without verdict.	Number of cases in which Judges agreed with Assessors.	Number of cases in which Judges differed from Assessors.		
Sessions Judges' Courts in N.-W. Provinces ...	3	7	1,317	...	...	...	1,102	215	...	
High Court, N.-W. Provinces	12	2	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	
Total	...	9	1,317	...	2	...	1,104	215	...	

High Court of Judicature, N.-W. P.:
The 27th July, 1873.

W. TYRRELL,
Registrar.

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NOTE ON THE CRIMINAL STATEMENTS FOR 1874.

THE number of offences reported and prosecuted in the year 1874 showed a considerable increase over the figures for the year 1873. It is observed that this increase has been progressive in the last four years.

2. 148,176 offences were reported during the year, 74,048 were prosecuted, and 134,159 persons were under trial. Of these persons, 37,037 were acquitted or discharged, 95,673 were convicted or committed for trial, and 1,240 persons were awaiting trial at the close of the year.

3. The corresponding results in 1872 and 1873 are shown with those of 1874 in the marginal table.

Year.	Reported.	Prosecuted	Under trial	Acquitted.	Convicted and committed.	Undisposed of.
1872 ...	119,566	63,239	115,949	35,211	79,146	1,212
1873 ...	138,895	70,752	128,208	36,251	90,337	1,215
1874 ...	148,176	74,048	134,159	37,037	95,673	1,240

4. The increase in offences is mainly owing to the multiplication of municipal and other local and special rules, and to the greater attention which such matters engage year by year. It is partly attributable to the alteration effected by Act XI. of 1874, by which cases of simple hurt have been brought within the cognizance of the police; and the vigilant attention of the latter and of the magistrates to the suppression of the crime of infanticide has also contributed to swell the list.

5. In the eastern districts generally crime against property prevailed to a large extent during the first half of the year. The high prices of food are assigned, and no doubt with much truth, as the main cause of this state of things. In certain districts the magistrates have shown that prices ranged higher in the first and second quarters of 1874 than in the corresponding periods of 1873. In illustration of these remarks it may be mentioned that in the Gházipur district seven-eighths of the increase of crime in 1874 consisted of the offences of simple hurt and theft.

There is still a large and remarkable disproportion between the number of offences reported and prosecuted in the year. It may be, and the Court has reason to believe that in some districts it is the case, that the magisterial courts generally have been more careful in sifting complaints before issuing their process; and the result of this is, that many hasty or false reports are checked from growing into the proportions of a prosecution. But it is feared that a large mass of offences against property remains unprosecuted for reasons of a less satisfactory nature. The police are not successful in preventing or detecting these crimes. The following figures illustrate this remark:—

	Offences of House-breaking.	
	Reported.	Prosecuted.
Benares	2,183	125
Bareilly	2,016	14
Allahabad	1,742	107
Budaun	1,593	49
Agra	1,105	153
Cawnpore	1,009	108
Sháhjahánpur	825	49

6. The state of the pending files in the criminal courts at the close of the year was very satisfactory. The heaviest pending file (115) was in the district of Gházipur, and the next heaviest (100) is found in Mirzapur. But sufficient explanations have been rendered in both instances.

Most of the other districts show creditable results in this respect, especially when we remember the very considerable increase in the district averages of offences reported and offences prosecuted being 4,358 and 2,178, respectively, in 1874, against 4,085 and 2,081 in 1873.

The Court has observed, with much satisfaction, a marked improvement in the punctual and timely despatch of criminal business generally. In a few districts only were many cases found which had been protracted for more than six weeks, and with respect to some of these districts special circumstances exist which explain delays of this kind. The courts of districts for instance which adjoin native states experience considerable difficulty in getting their processes executed and returned with due despatch; while the geographical conditions of other districts, of which Gorakhpur and Mirzapur are fair examples, are such, as in some seasons of the year, sufficiently account for a somewhat protracted duration of cases. In the former district, however, the Court was highly satisfied to find that not one case was so protracted during the year; a result which is probably due to the careful supervision of the chief magistrate, Mr. Lumsden. The Court notices with regret a very different state of things in this respect in the district of Moradabad, where as many as 72 cases were protracted over six weeks in the course of the year. Doubtless local conditions may to a certain extent account for delay in the disposal of criminal inquiries in this district, but many of the explanations offered were insufficient, and betrayed dilatory procedure in some of the courts, and inadequate supervision on the part of the magistrate of the district.

7. The percentage of persons convicted and committed rose to ·72 in 1874 from ·71 in 1873. Prosecution was most successful in the districts shown in the margin. Of these districts, Cawnpore, Basti, Mainpuri, Moradabad and Allahabad maintained the creditable position in this respect, which they occupied in the years 1871, 1872 and 1873.

Azamgarh	...	·84
Cawnpore	...	·82
Meerut	...	·80
Mainpuri and Basti	...	·79
Budaun and Etáwah	...	·78
Fatehpur	...	·77
Moradabad and Gorakhpur	...	·76
Etah, Kumaun and Lalitpur	...	·75
Saháranpur and Allahabad	...	·74

The worst results were found in the districts of Garhwál (·55), Benares (·61), Jaunpur and Mirzapur (·59), Agra (·63) and Dehra Dún (·64). Of these districts, Garhwál, Benares, and Dehra Dún were similarly conspicuous in the previous year.

8. Offences against the person of the more heinous sort are shown for the last six years in the annexed table :—

	1869.	1870.	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.
Murder ...	380	339	322	321	354	349
Culpable homicide ...	282	215	263	293	285	298
Grievous hurt ...	854	935	1,073	1,069	1,199	1,186
Hurt	6,711	7,788	8,858	8,725	11,695	14,618

9. Offences against property are exhibited in the following statement :—

	1869.	1870.	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.
Theft	36,532	26,992	22,541	31,139	35,381	30,898
Robbery	614	488	404	391	470	433
Dacoity	129	79	80	83	118	131
House-breaking for theft,	10,316	17,868	20,238	19,771	23,433	22,941

The decrease, such as it is, in the offence of house-breaking for theft, in 1874, is due to greater accuracy in the compilation of the registers of some districts. Attempts to commit the crime, erroneously entered under this head in most of the returns, have been to some extent excluded in the returns for the year under review.

10. 530 cases were reported in 1874 under the Infanticide Act, against 457 in the previous year: 1,962 offences against the Revenue laws, and 4,315 under the Municipalities' Act were brought before the courts in the year.

11. 4,093 persons were dealt with under the provisions of the law for keeping the peace; 2,202 persons were required to find security for good behaviour; 515 persons were reported as vagrants, having no means of livelihood; and 6,490 attempts to commit offences were recorded.

There is still reason to fear that some magistrates overstrain the powers conferred on them in the matter of requiring security for good behaviour and for keeping the peace.

The returns showing the action of the magistracy under these heads in 1874 in the neighbouring districts of Mainpuri and Etáwah tend to confirm such apprehensions.

In Etáwah 116 persons were required to find security for good behaviour, and 104 for keeping the peace. 90 of these persons were imprisoned in default of furnishing such security.

In Mainpuri no persons were called on to give security for good behaviour; 25 only were required to furnish security for keeping the peace. And all these persons satisfied the magistracy with the required security.

12. The second general statement shows the working of the magisterial courts of the provinces in the year under review.

1,215 persons were awaiting trial from the previous year; 67,891 persons were arrested, and 65,026 were summoned before the magisterial tribunals, making in all, with 607 transferred for trial from other parts of the country, a total of 134,739 persons for disposal, against a total of 128,208 in the previous year.

13. These persons were disposed of as follows:—

Discharged without trial...	...	19,592
Acquitted	...	17,400
Convicted including committed	...	96,090
Died, escaped, or transferred	...	417
Awaiting trial at the end of the year...	...	1,240

Of the latter 748 were in custody, and 492 were at large on bail or recognizance.

14. Compared with the results of the three previous years, these figures were—

	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.
Discharged	17,398	19,034	19,210	19,592
Acquitted	14,541	16,177	17,041	17,400
Convicted including committed ...	74,216	79,146	90,337	96,090
Died, escaped, or transferred ...	406	350	405	417

15. Of the entire number of persons disposed of, ·15 were discharged without trial against ·14 in the previous year. Excessive averages of persons discharged without trial were found in the following districts:—

District.	*Average discharged without trial.*
Garhwál	·34
Benares	·29
Mirzapur	·21
Saháranpur	·20

A similar remark is applicable to some, but not all, the magisterial courts of the Meerut and Etáwah districts. These figures almost compel the belief that due enquiry was not always made, nor a sound discretion in all cases exercised in the issue of processes upon complaint. With respect to the Benares courts, the magistrate, Mr. E. Colvin, recorded the following remarks:—"It will be seen that the very great majority

of persons so discharged were in the courts of the assistant and honorary magistrates with whom the trial of petty cases, such as mischief, &c., rests. It is very difficult in such to discriminate whether summons should issue, the hardship is not so great as it looks." While the Court is ready to admit the first part of the magistrate's proposition, it cannot allow that the hardship involved in a large number of persons being unjustifiably dragged into a criminal court is by any means inconsiderable, and it looks with confidence to improved results in this respect in Benares and the other districts noticed in future years.

16. The proportion of acquittals was ·13, the same as it was in 1873.

17. On the whole, the Court is satisfied with the general result of the despatch of criminal business in the past year.

18. 118 cases of more than six weeks' duration were pending at the end of the year; 24 were in Jaunpur, 17 in Aligarh, 16 in Dehra Dún, 15 in Fatehpur, 14 in Budaun, 9 in Mirzapur, 7 in Bijnor, 5 in Benares and Jalaun, 2 in Agra, and 1 in Farukhabad, Etáwah, Allahabad and Kumaun.

19. The third general statement exhibits the punishments imposed by the magisterial courts during the year.

They were as follows :—

Fined	... 49,844
Imprisoned	... 24,672
Flogged	... 7,418
Ordered to find security for good behaviour ...	... 2,202
„ to keep the peace...	... 1,493
„ to enter into recognizance	... 2,600
Imprisoned and fined	... 3,643
„ and flogged	... 935
Fined and flogged	7
Grand total	... 92,814

The total of the previous year amounted to 87,162.

20. The entire amount of fines imposed during the year was Rs. 3,60,777, of which Rs. 2,74,874 or ·76 were realized, and Rs. 14,328 were paid as compensation to injured persons.

21. Of the persons fined, 46,584 were sentenced to fines not exceeding Rs. 10; 6,290 were fined sums not exceeding Rs. 50; 433 persons were sentenced to fines not less than Rs. 50, and not exceeding Rs. 100; and 180 persons were fined in sums ranging from Rs. 100 to Rs. 500.

22. 27,690 persons were sentenced to rigorous, and 1,418 persons to simple imprisonment during the year. The various periods of imprisonment thus inflicted were as follows :—

Imprisonment not exceeding 15 days—4,195 rigorous, and 617 simple; not exceeding six months, 15,456 rigorous, and 772 simple; not exceeding two years, 7,960 rigorous, and 29 simple; and in excess of two years, 79 rigorous, and 7 simple.

23. 2,246 juveniles and 5,172 adults were flogged; the average number of stripes being 17, and the highest number inflicted in one case being 30.

24. 1,255 persons, being ·33, were imprisoned in default of finding security for being of good behaviour and for keeping the public peace.

25. The foregoing figures for the last five years are summarized in the annexed table :—

	Fined.	Imprisoned.	Flogged.	Security for good behaviour.	Security to keep the peace.	Recognizance to keep the peace.	Imprisoned and fined.	Imprisoned and flogged.	Fined and flogged.	Total
1870 ...	45,643	16,653	4,140	1,293	1,635	2,129	3,028	535	9	75,065
1871 ...	44,721	14,901	3,280	1,296	1,802	2,370	2,376	408	6	71,352
1872 ...	43,869	18,837	4,652	1,258	2,174	1,810	2,809	582	18	75,999
1873 ...	48,088	22,719	5,550	1,683	1,927	2,276	3,114	784	21	87,414
1874 ...	49,844	24,672	7,418	2,202	1,493	2,600	3,643	935	7	92,814

26. The next (fourth) statement shows the number of witnesses who attended the magisterial courts, and the period of their detention there. 295,538 witnesses were examined in the year, of whom 278,406 were dismissed by the courts on the first day. Of the rest, 17,132 in number, 15,582 were detained between one and three days ; 1,473 were detained above three and less than seven days ; and 77 above seven days. Of these latter the magistrate of Dehra Dún was responsible for 43, the Basti courts for 27, and Muzaffarnagar for 7.

27. The average duration of cases in the magisterial courts in the year was seven days as compared with eight days in the previous year.

The best results were attained in Meerut, Allahabad, and Benares, where the duration was four days only, and in Etah, Cawnpore, and Azamgarh, where it was only five. The duration was high in Garhwál (15 days), but of this district the circumstances are peculiar; in Moradabad (12 days), in Aligarh and Mirzapur (11 days), and in Jaunpur (10 days). The excessive duration of cases in Moradabad is attributed by the magistrate to the insufficient staff of officers placed at his disposal by the Government. He remarks that the district has always of late years been underofficered, and that during the past year the staff was further weakened by his own absence and that of Mr. Whiteway, his assistant, on privilege leave for some months. It is obvious to remark that this leave need not and should not have been taken at the cost of the efficient administration of the district.

28. The fifth statement shows the results of appeals from subordinate magistrates to the magistrates of districts. 2,972 appeals were preferred, of which 335 were rejected, 1,551 were dismissed, 1,013 were wholly or partially successful, and 66 remained undecided at the end of the year.

The percentage of successful appeals to the entire number disposed of was, as in 1873, ·36.

29. The seventh statement shows the results of appeals to the sessions courts in the provinces.

3,967 persons appealed, being 395 in excess of the previous year ; 684 appeals were summarily rejected ; 2,197 failed on the hearing ; 942 succeeded ; and 24 resulted in remands, while 100 remained pending at the close of the year. The percentage of successful appeals in the sessions courts was ·25, as compared with ·24 in the previous year. The largest number of appeals was made to the sessions courts of Gorakhpur (333), Moradabad (259), Cawnpore (248), and Benares (201).

The smallest number of appeals was in Dehra Dún (13), Hamírpur (20), and Garhwál (34).

30. The eighth statement shows the details of cases committed to the sessions courts during the year 1874. The sessions courts had 3,424 persons awaiting trial before them in the year. This total was 165 more than in 1873, which again was 111 in advance of the figures of 1872.

The sessions courts disposed of 3,066 of these commitments, convicting 2,398 persons, and acquitting 668, being an average of ·78 convictions, as in the previous year.

31. 332 persons were awaiting trial at the end of the year.

32. The largest number of commitments was made in the districts of Azamgarh (288), Basti (269), Agra (196), Gorakhpur (195), and Bánda (176).

The fewest commitments were in Bulandshahr (42), Jaunpur (31), and Dehra Dún (10).

33. The percentage of persons convicted to the number disposed of was highest in the districts of—

Gházipur	·94
Hamírpur	·92
Azamgarh and Mirzapur	·91
Fatehpur	·90
Bareilly, Kumaun and Gorakhpur	·85
Etáwah and Muzaffarnagar	·80
Muttra and Mainpuri	·79
Benares and Basti	·77
Cawnpore and Jhánsi	·76
Meerut and Etah	·75

The worst results were found in the following districts :—

Sháhjahánpur	·54
Jaunpur	·52

34. The heaviest pending files at the end of the year were in the courts of the judges of Gorakhpur and Bánda.

35. 2,300 persons were punished by the sessions judges in 1874; of whom 8 were fined, 1,953 imprisoned, 12 flogged, 159 imprisoned and fined, 16 imprisoned and flogged, 1 fined and flogged, and 151 sentenced to death.

36. The fines imposed by the sessions judges during the year aggregated Rs. 19,113, of which Rs. 6,534 were realized ; 259 persons were sentenced to transportation for life, and 26 persons to tranportation for terms of years. 10 persons were sentenced by the judge of Gorakhpur, 3 by the judge of Benares, and 4 by the judge of Gházipur to solitary confinement in addition to imprisonment ; and sentences of forfeiture of property were passed on 6 persons, on 5 by the commissioner of Jhánsi and on 1 by the judge of Mainpuri.

37. 1,241 cases were tried with the aid of assessors during the year. The judges agreed with the assessors in 1,033, and differed from them in 208 cases.

The great majority of the assessors, as in previous year, were drawn from the landholding, banking, and trading classes.

38. 151 persons were sentenced by the sessions judges to death ; 116 of these sentences were confirmed by the High Court, 30 were modified, and 5 annulled. 778 cases came before the High Court in appeal or revision ; the Court modified the order, or remanded the case in 159 instances, and annulled the sentence in 107.

361 cases came before the Court under sections 322, 295, and 296 of the new Criminal Procedure Code (Act X. of 1872) ; the Court confirmed the sentence in 246 cases, modified it in 101, and annulled it in 14.

39. The High Court on the original side disposed of no case during the year.

40. The following gentlemen, as chief magistrates of districts, distinguished themselves by the diligent and successful discharge of the duties of their office :—

Messrs. Lumsden, Moore, Oldham, Duthoit, C. Robertson, E. S. Robertson, and J. C. Colvin.

41. As sessions judges, Messrs. Probyn, C. A. Daniell, Saunders, and Pasley received the commendation of the Court.

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, N.-W. P.,
Allahabad, the 27th August, 1875.

W. TYRRELL,
Registrar.

APPENDIX.

No. 1.

General Statement showing the number of offences reported and prosecuted, as well as the number of persons under trial, and those whose cases were disposed of during the year 1874, in the Magisterial Courts, North-Western Provinces.

District.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of offences prosecuted.	Number of persons under trial.	Number of persons whose cases were disposed of: Acquitted or discharged.	Number of persons whose cases were disposed of: Convicted including committed.	Number of persons whose cases were left undisposed of at the close of the year.	Percentage of persons convicted and committed to those whose cases were disposed of.
Saharanpur	3,488	2,456	4,055	1,025	2,980	45	·74
Muzaffarnagar ...	4,537	1,813	2,537	994	2,505	28	·71
Dehra Dun	868	860	1,264	454	803	5	·64
Meerut	4,345	3,151	6,871	1,357	5,472	32	·80
Bulandshahar ...	2,472	1,659	3,406	1,042	2,332	31	·69
Aligarh	3,352	2,250	4,132	1,403	2,702	21	·65
Etah	2,782	1,578	2,791	678	2,079	31	·75
Moradabad	10,007	2,979	5,558	1,348	4,274	90	·76
Bijnor	2,498	1,530	2,957	834	2,092	31	·71
Bareilly	6,507	2,615	4,759	1,356	3,368	33	·71
Budaun	2,252	1,903	3,120	665	2,412	36	·78
Shahjahanpur ...	6,480	2,656	4,594	1,384	3,159	44	·69
Agra	5,674	3,768	6,984	2,482	4,340	46	·68
Muttra	2,550	1,786	3,712	1,031	2,654	21	·72
Farukhabad	3,604	2,323	4,445	1,219	3,187	36	·72
Mainpuri	2,267	1,267	2,835	588	2,183	60	·79
Etawah	3,729	2,121	3,934	838	3,026	54	·78
Cawnpore	5,816	3,459	6,200	1,093	5,014	68	·82
Fatehpur	3,057	1,678	3,332	754	2,560	14	·77
Banda	3,600	1,877	3,557	986	2,524	41	·72
Hamirpur	4,186	1,856	3,078	1,058	2,000	15	·65
Allahabad	8,918	4,314	7,894	2,027	5,835	32	·74
Gorakhpur	11,642	4,832	7,791	1,869	5,847	58	·76
Basti	4,150	2,025	3,770	769	2,909	76	·79
Azamgarh	5,391	2,211	4,121	696	3,382	31	·84
Jaunpur	5,504	2,219	3,623	1,468	2,125	24	·59
Mirzapur	3,757	2,207	3,874	1,530	2,238	100	·60
Benares	5,656	3,436	6,113	2,352	3,717	28	·61
Ghazipur	5,202	2,618	4,612	1,538	2,945	115	·66
Kumaun	1,124	691	1,166	288	873	5	·75
Garhwal	611	292	484	216	265	6	·55
Jhansi	3,003	1,551	2,495	772	1,692	4	·69
Jalaun	1,372	1,163	2,069	651	1,356	19	·68
Lalitpur	1,140	675	1,126	277	823	28	·75
Total of 1874 ...	1,48,176	74,048	1,34,159	37,037	95,673	1,240	·72
Total of 1873 ...	1,38,895	70,752	1,26,208	36,251	90,337	1,215	·71
District average of 1874...	4,358	2,178	3,945	1,089	2,814	37	·72
District average of 1873...	4,085	2,081	3,771	1,066	2,657	36	·71

Persons whose cases were transferred for trial in other districts, or who died or escaped from custody, are not shown in this table. Their number is shown in table No. 2.

No. 2.

Statement showing the general results of criminal trials before the various Magisterial authorities in the districts of the North-Western Provinces during the year 1874.

District.	Number of persons dealt with.					Persons disposed of.				Remaining at the end of the year.		Number of enquiries by Sub-Magistrates under Sections 135, 180, and Chapter XVI. of the Criminal Procedure Code.	Number of cases pending above six weeks at the end of the year.	Percentage of convictions in cases committed.
	Remaining at end of last year.	Brought to trial during the year. By arrest.	Brought to trial during the year. By summons or recognizance.	Received by transfer.	Total.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted including committed.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	In custody.	On bail or recognizance.			
Saharanpur	31	1,750	2,274	...	4,055	611	414	2,980	5	39	6	1	...	·71
Muzaffarnagar	33	999	2,499	6	3,537	719	275	2,505	10	8	20	3	...	·80
Dehra Dun	24	601	639	...	1,264	234	220	803	2	1	4	...	16	·67
Meerut	35	3,512	3,322	2	6,871	900	457	5,472	10	12	20	8	...	·83
Bulandshahr	48	1,028	2,326	4	3,406	898	144	2,332	1	23	8	48	...	·82
Aligarh	53	1,826	2,248	5	4,182	549	854	2,702	6	14	7	1	17	·85
Etah	23	1,414	1,349	5	2,791	360	318	2,079	3	27	4	50	...	·76
Moradabad	53	2,284	3,221	24	5,582	678	633	4,213	28	14	16	63	...	·71
Bijnor	25	1,226	1,706	...	2,957	201	633	2,092	...	16	15	19	7	·68
Bareilly	34	1,912	2,813	...	4,759	458	898	3,368	2	30	3	15	...	·98
Budaun	46	1,543	1,531	...	3,120	319	346	2,412	7	13	23	43	14	·85
Shahjahanpur	36	2,119	2,437	2	4,594	277	1,107	3,159	7	38	6	21	...	·60
Agra	21	2,946	3,651	266	6,884	1,071	1,411	4,340	16	17	29	29	2	·58

Muttra	18	1,851	2,334	9	3,712	659	372	2,654	6	8	18	...	...	·79
Farukhabad	29	2,080	2,327	9	4,445	697	522	3,197	3	24	12	1	1	·89
Mainpuri	21	1,272	1,542	...	2,835	179	409	2,188	4	28	32	1	...	·86
Etawah	35	1,924	1,975	...	3,934	372	464	3,026	16	50	4	7	1	·77
Cawnpore	18	2,859	3,316	7	6,200	344	749	5,014	25	57	11	...	...	·86
Fatehpur	16	1,615	1,696	5	3,332	471	288	2,560	4	3	11	17	...	·90
Banda	67	1,955	1,532	3	3,557	367	670	2,524	6	31	10	15	15	·73
Hamirpur	22	1,711	1,333	12	3,078	706	352	2,020	5	7	8	...	...	·92
Allahabad	26	4,202	3,666	...	7,894	1,472	553	5,835	...	22	10	14	1	·64
Gorakhpur	49	5,121	2,842	...	8,012	1,681	788	6,068	17	38	28	160	...	·85
Basti	36	2,886	847	91	3,860	169	631	2,909	106	61	15	...	...	·76
Azamgarh	109	3,177	1,078	9	4,373	240	456	3,634	12	24	7	16	...	·90
Jaunpur	43	1,714	1,857	9	3,623	928	540	2,125	6	11	13	43	24	·74
Mirzapur	57	1,816	1,992	9	3,874	839	701	2,238	6	22	78	...	9	·91
Benares	42	3,573	2,479	14	6,118	1,819	533	3,747	16	10	18	40	5	·73
Ghazipur	39	2,608	1,668	40	4,305	624	901	2,950	15	71	44	...	...	·95
Kumaun	...	730	434	2	1,166	181	107	873	...	...	5	...	1	·84
Garhwal	7	188	289	...	484	168	48	265	...	...	3	10	...	·92
Jhansi	16	1,661	806	12	2,495	429	343	1,692	27	4	...	60	...	·85
Jalaun	19	1,303	704	38	2,069	468	218	1,356	43	7	12	13	5	·80
Lalitpur	34	775	293	24	1,126	239	33	823	3	23	...	...	...	·66
Total ...	1,215	67,891	65,026	697	134,739	19,592	17,490	96,090	417	748	492	698	118	·80

The causes of difference between the figures of this statement and those of No. 1 are, that in some districts cases committed and referred to Sessions, included in this statement, are not included in No. 1; and cases transferred from one Court to another in the same district are twice, sometimes thrice, entered in this statement.

No.

Statement showing the degrees of punishment inflicted by the several Magisterial

District.	NUMBER OF PERSONS PUNISHED.												
	Fined.	Imprisoned.	Flogged.		Ordered to find security for good behaviour.	Ordered to find security to keep the peace.	Ordered to enter into recognizance.	Ordered to maintain wife and children.	Ordered to refrain from taking possession of land or water.	Imprisoned and fined.	Imprisoned and flogged.	Fined and flogged.	Total persons punished.
			Juveniles.	Adults.									
Saharanpur ...	2,003	593	23	94	56	12	132	4	14	51	12	...	2,994
Muzaffarnagar ...	1,783	321	13	92	40	54	39	...	...	103	14	...	2,459
Dehra Dun ...	540	130	4	68	3	...	34	...	...	15	...	...	794
Meerut ...	4,181	570	49	105	214	24	113	...	...	87	48	...	5,391
Bulandshahr ...	1,184	498	68		184	5	255	...	...	94	8	...	2,296
Aligarh ...	1,613	708	9	73	38	78	30	1	3	30	15	...	2,598
Etah ...	952	494	33	85	106	16	148	...	...	151	30	...	2,015
Moradabad ...	2,127	1,080	50		81	81	250	...	...	341	89	...	4,099
Bijnor ...	1,138	441	55		64	12	127	...	...	188	11	...	2,036
Bareilly ...	1,261	1,304	51	129	104	51	221	2	...	188	33	...	3,359
Budaun ...	991	872	22	102	121	16	123	2	1	57	13	...	2,320
Shahjahanpur ...	1,653	762	4	138	28	398	...	3	...	100	18	...	3,094
Agra ...	2,463	988	46	358	52	1	39	3	9	199	24	...	4,177
Muttra ...	1,719	632	52	77	22	...	56	...	...	29	3	...	2,590
Farukhabad ...	1,887	661	16	52	85	237	36	1	...	129	32	...	3,106
Mainpuri ...	1,251	423	90	6	...	25	187	...	...	75	5	...	2,062
Etawah ...	1,567	617	290	38	116	104	57	...	...	140	34	...	2,963
Cawnpore ...	3,106	1,020	35	290	165	13	69	...	2	120	54	...	4,876
Fatehpur ...	1,450	580	8	55	26	10	144	...	...	157	22	...	2,481
Banda ...	1,046	735	14	999	16	48	9	...	...	160	14	...	2,384
Hamirpur ...	696	935	22	121	14	22	15	3	10	49	27	1	1,916
Allahabad ...	4,089	971	52	252	34	45	85	...	...	122	63	...	5,713
Gorakhpur ...	2,068	1,780	95	1,271	134	4	56	11	10	158	115	...	5,682
Basti ...	671	1,275	51	274	34	5	8	2	...	262	64	5	2,651
Azamgarh ...	860	1,284	835	48	69	54	89	...	...	126	46	...	3,410
Jaunpur ...	841	775	21	161	72	2	49	7	1	145	21	1	2,096
Mirzapur ...	1,047	677	59	101	57	31	62	4	...	74	33	...	2,138
Benares ...	1,888	1,134	41	311	50	74	26	10	10	72	36	...	3,652
Ghazipur ...	1,287	1,005	19	119	126	38	106	18	2	98	16	...	2,825
Kumaun ...	610	96	43	...	17	23	6	...	...	36	6	...	837
Garhwal ...	199	33	6	...	7	...	6	...	...	10	2	...	263
Jhansi ...	822	546	33	141	29	12	3	...	...	66	20	...	1,672
Jalaun ...	524	508	29	177	5	8	...	1	2	32	4	...	1,290
Lalitpur ...	335	246	15	109	34	...	...	1	...	65	3	...	806
Total ...	49,814	24,672	2,246	5,172	2,202	1,493	2,600	68	64	3,643	935	7	93,946
			7,418										

3.

Tribunals of the districts of the North-Western Provinces during the year 1874.

DETAIL OF SENTENCES.

NUMBER OF PERSONS.

Fines.

Not exceeding Rs. 10.	Not exceeding Rs. 50.	Not exceeding Rs. 100.	Not exceeding Rs. 500.	Total number of fines.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid to injured parties by way of compensation or award.
					Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1,775	242	12	5	2,034	11,729	10,209	649
1,759	124	8	8	1,899	10,670	9,083	735
488	58	6	...	552	2,546	2,375	170
3,979	262	16	10	4,267	21,181	19,387	392
1,140	113	22	3	1,278	9,176	5,884	345
1,430	203	...	10	1,643	8,340	7,261	156
790	289	19	5	1,103	10,973	7,746	451
2,185	304	16	11	2,466	22,787	18,276	789
1,070	212	36	7	1,327	14,177	8,068	451
951	375	32	6	1,364	13,345	10,258	1,187
879	143	22	4	1,048	10,150	8,492	485
1,472	268	11	2	1,753	9,841	8,492	429
2,416	236	10	...	2,662	11,210	8,767	281
1,632	112	4	...	1,748	8,486	7,509	228
1,715	220	22	9	1,966	14,981	10,663	139
1,268	57	1	...	1,326	5,184	4,264	92
1,432	237	20	17	1,706	16,102	13,364	925
2,927	276	9	16	3,228	17,688	13,485	317
1,475	122	9	1	1,607	7,793	5,971	287
1,078	160	9	3	1,245	10,107	7,848	698
700	40	3	3	746	3,458	2,563	409
3,970	205	28	8	4,211	17,612	11,965	595
1,928	276	22	12	2,238	17,097	14,371	1,285
704	221	6	7	938	9,890	6,891	141
671	298	15	...	984	9,014	6,130	288
798	178	8	2	986	9,550	6,692	100
1,013	95	11	2	1,121	8,750	6,544	137
1,763	182	11	2	1,958	12,672	10,970	310
1,140	229	10	6	1,385	12,222	8,556	850
530	99	15	2	646	5,224	3,368	204
169	31	4	5	209	2,491	2,081	248
781	149	2	5	887	4,881	2,919	140
468	79	2	7	556	6,029	2,829	293
293	95	10	2	400	5,269	2,598	124
46,584	6,290	433	180	53,487	3,60,777	2,74,674	14,326

No. 3.

Statement showing the degrees of punishment inflicted by the several Magisterial Tribunals of the districts of the North-Western Provinces during the year 1874.—(concluded.)

District.	DETAIL OF SENTENCES. Number of Persons. Imprisoned. Not exceeding 15 days. Rigorous.	15 days. Simple.	6 months. Rigorous.	6 months. Simple.	2 years. Rigorous.	2 years. Simple.	7 years. Rigorous.	7 years. Rigorous above 7 years.	Total. Rigorous.	Total. Simple.	Flogging. Average number of stripes.	Flogging. Highest number of stripes in any one case.	Persons imprisoned in default of security.	Fines not exceeding Rs. 1,000.	Fines above Rs. 1,000.
Saharanpur ...	27	10	338	26	192	...	...	...	557	36	16	30	30	..	
Muzaffarnagar,	83	20	193	42	103	1	...	...	379	63	15	30	38	...	
Dehra Dun ...	19	7	81	...	38	...	...	...	138	7	13	30	3	...	
Meerut ...	60	25	340	13	267	...	...	...	667	38	19	30	...	1	
Bulandshahr ...	126	25	167	23	158	1	...	...	551	49	14	30	...	...	
Aligarh ...	101	10	371	7	263	...	4	...	739	17	15	30	67	...	
Etah ...	65	17	354	18	220	1	...	...	639	36	24	30	73	...	
Moradabad ...	281	16	829	29	271	...	...	...	1,381	45	...	...	28	2	
Bijnor ...	119	10	338	11	162	...	...	...	619	21	...	...	23	1	
Bareilly ...	328	40	717	33	317	5	...	...	1,362	78	17	30	88	...	
Budaun ...	81	45	522	54	238	2	...	...	841	101	18	30	91	...	
Shahjahanpur	218	23	447	4	187	...	1	...	853	27	18	30	40	...	
Agra ...	249	19	637	13	293	...	...	...	1,179	32	19	30	41	...	
Muttra ...	186	11	299	1	167	...	...	...	652	12	14	30	10	...	
Farukhabad ...	101	7	463	11	241	...	...	...	805	18	16	30	106	...	
Mainpuri ...	145	14	206	1	137	...	...	...	488	15	18	30	8	...	
Etawah ...	109	20	491	25	145	...	1	...	746	45	16	30	90	1	
Cawnpore ...	109	22	706	23	334	...	...	...	1,149	45	16	30	34	...	
Fatehpur ...	210	12	412	25	100	...	...	...	722	37	15	30	21	...	
Banda ...	163	10	520	44	169	...	3	...	855	54	17	30	64	1	
Hamirpur ...	217	6	649	8	132	...	...	...	998	14	13	30	12	...	
Allahabad ...	120	25	580	58	370	3	...	...	1,070	86	17	30	40	...	
Gorakhpur ...	84	22	912	65	937	9	...	...	1,033	96	16	30	108	...	
Basti ...	249	35	1,031	20	266	...	...	...	1,546	55	14	30	28	...	
Azamgarh ...	147	46	487	21	753	1	...	...	1,387	68	19	30	52	1	
Jaunpur ...	118	30	511	47	233	1	1	...	863	78	16	30	4	1	
Mirzapur ...	84	15	462	15	208	...	...	...	754	30	15	30	3	...	
Benares ...	107	13	768	36	315	...	3	...	1,193	49	19	30	39	2	
Ghazipur ...	46	15	622	22	381	2	31	...	1,080	39	16	30	73	...	
Kumaun ...	4	...	60	6	68	...	...	...	132	6	...	...	...	...	
Garhwal ...	1	1	31	...	12	...	...	...	44	1	...	...	...	...	
Jhansi ...	92	20	367	30	104	2	11	6	580	52	14	30	24	.	
Jalaun ...	109	8	297	30	84	1	14	1	505	39	16	30	7	...	
Lalitpur ...	37	18	148	11	95	...	3	...	283	29	15	30	8	...	
Total ...	4,195	617	15,456	772	7,960	29	72	7	27,690	1,418	...	30	...	10	

No. 4.

Statement showing the number of witnesses who attended the Magistrates' Courts, and the period of their detention.

District.	Number of witnesses who attended.	Number of witnesses detained.			Percentage of witnesses detained.		
		Above one day.	Above three days.	Above seven days.	Above one day.	Above three days.	Above seven days.
Saharanpur ...	9,903	65	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarnagar ...	5,379	96	12	7	·2	...	...
Dehra Dun ...	1,171	454	115	43	·38	·9	·3
Meerut ...	10,232	202	11	...	·2	...	...
Bulandshahr ...	6,407	268	13	...	·4	...	...
Aligarh ...	9,847	126	5	...	·1	...	...
Etah ...	6,344	350	7	...	·5	...	...
Moradabad ...	14,810	1,614	326	...	·11	·2	...
Bijnor ...	8,085	468	42	...	·6	...	...
Bareilly ...	12,613	758	9	...	·6	...	...
Budaun ...	10,619	364	3	...	·3	...	...
Shahjahanpur ...	11,628	2,187	264	...	·19	·2	...
Agra ...	13,120	508	56	...	·3	...	...
Muttra ...	7,749	62	...	...	...	...	...
Farukhabad ...	10,445	147	40	...	·1	..	...
Mainpuri ...	7,175	359	44	...	·5	...	...
Etawah ...	7,895	106	...	...	·1	...	...
Cawnpore ...	10,023	177	4	...	·2	...	...
Fatehpur ...	6,642	282	31	...	·4	...	...
Banda ...	7,940	469	110	...	·6	·1	...
Hamirpur ...	5,865	282	19	...	·5	...	...
Allahabad ...	16,470	888	30	...	·5	...	...
Gorakhpur ...	17,277	1,786	173	...	·10	·1	...
Basti ...	7,817	399	67	27	·5	·1	...
Azamgarh ...	9,170	219	...	...	·2	...	...
Jaunpur ...	10,700	893	22	...	·8	...	...
Mirzapur ...	10,707	376	24	...	·3	...	...
Benares ...	12,255	623	5	...	·5	...	...
Ghazipur ...	13,558	618	26	...	·5	...	...
Kumaun ...	1,379	...	...	..	...	...	...
Garhwal ...	1,152	11	...	...	·1	...	...
Jhansi ...	4,715	172	...	...	·4	...	...
Jalaun ...	4,124	107	...	...	·3	...	...
Lalitpur ...	2,322	146	15	...	·6	...	...
Total ...	2,95,538	15,582	1,473	77	·5	...	...

No. 5.

Statement showing the results of the appeals from the orders of the Assistants preferred to the Magistrates of the Districts during the year 1874.

District.	Number of appellants.	Number of persons.					Remarks.
		Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences reversed or modified.	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending.	
Saharanpur	131	21	67	34	9	...	
Muzaffarnagar	74	18	24	30	...	2	
Dehra Dun	2	...	...	2	...	...	
Meerut	142	1	82	54	...	5	
Bulandshahr	72	...	59	13	...	...	
Aligarh	143	36	49	58	...	...	
Etah	74	4	58	12	...	...	
Moradabad	84	4	63	16	...	1	
Bijnor	100	14	56	27	...	3	
Bareilly	125	15	54	50	6	...	
Budaun	22	...	10	12	...	...	
Shahjahanpur	82	3	40	39	...	...	
Agra	206	40	122	31	...	13	
Muttra	145	1	79	63	2	...	
Farukhabad	102	10	57	34	...	1	
Mainpuri	54	...	39	14	...	1	
Etawah	72	1	62	9	...	...	
Cawnpore...	75	10	36	11	...	18	
Fatehpur	125	18	48	58	1	...	
Banda	58	...	38	20	...	...	
Hamirpur...	55	19	13	21	1	1	
Allahabad	56	8	12	36	...	...	
Gorakhpur	160	13	84	54	4	...	5 cases referred for revision to High Court
Basti	106	11	73	14	...	8	
Azamgarh	44	1	25	4	9	5	
Jaunpur	194	50	53	85	4	1	1 case ditto.
Mirzapur	60	5	29	25	1	...	
Benares	150	9	101	39	1	...	
Ghazipur	96	11	46	36	2	...	1 ditto.
Kumaun	26	...	21	...	5	...	
Garhwal	59	9	16	30	1	3	
Jhansi	44	2	21	20	...	1	
Jalaun	24	1	13	7	...	3	
Lalitpur	10	...	1	9	...	...	
Total	2,972	385	1,551	967	46	66	7

No. 6.

Statement showing the average number of days during which each case lasted in the Courts of Magistrates of the Districts and their Subordinates during the years 1873 and 1874.

District.	Average duration of cases in the Magisterial Courts.					
	For the year 1873.			*For the year 1874.*		
	Year.	Month.	Day.	Year.	Month.	Day.
Saharanpur			7			7
Muzaffarnagar			6			7
Dehra Dun			6			6
Meerut			4			4
Bulandshahr			7			6
Aligarh			10			11
Etah			4			5
Moradabad			11			12
Bijnor			6			7
Bareilly			6			6
Budaun			9			8
Shahjahanpur			6			6
Agra			7			7
Muttra			7			6
Farukhabad			7			7
Mainpuri			7			8
Etawah			7			7
Cawnpore			5			5
Fatehpur			8			8
Banda			7			7
Hamirpur			6			7
Allahabad			4			4
Gorakhpur			9			7
Basti			9			8
Azamgarh			8			5
Jaunpur			9			10
Mirzapur			13			11
Benares			5			4
Ghazipur			9			9
Kumaun			9			5
Garhwal			21			15
Jhansi			9			8
Jalaun			8			6
Lalitpur			9			8
Average duration			8			7

No. 7.

Statement showing the detailed result of Appeals to the Sessions Courts during the year 1874.

I.—APPEALS.

District.	Number of appellants.	Number of persons.					Remarks.
		Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences reversed or modified.	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending.	
Saharanpur	113	6	76	26	...	5	
Muzaffarnagar	130	26	62	42	...	...	
Dehra Dun	18	...	8	4	...	1	
Meerut	119	15	90	14	..	...	
Bulandshahr	99	12	54	31	...	2	
Aligarh	194	34	88	69	...	3	
Etah	135	7	79	48	...	1	
Moradabad	259	3	170	77	...	9	
Bijnor	124	9	96	18	...	1	
Bareilly	143	1	110	30	...	2	
Budaun	145	13	97	35	...	...	
Shahjahanpur	84	3	75	6	...	...	
Agra	154	50	43	56	5	...	
Muttra	142	48	45	47	1	1	
Farukhabad	107	22	70	15	...	...	
Mainpuri	54	8	31	11	...	4	
Etawah	119	41	48	25	...	5	
Cawnpore	248	105	65	45	5	11	4 Proceedings quashed. 12 Referred for revision to High Court. 1 Transferred.
Fatehpur	54	16	30	4	...	3	1 Referred for revision to High Court.
Banda	46	8	20	7	...	11	
Hamirpur	20	13	7	...	...	...	
Allahabad	132	25	62	40	1	4	
Gorakhpur	333	11	213	100	(a) 12	9	
Basti	71	6	48	17	(b) 10	...	
Azamgarh	88	...	67	4	5	11	1 Returned for new trial.
Jaunpur	94	25	32	27	3	7	
Mirzapur	76	1	36	33	...	6	
Benares	201	78	89	34	...	...	
Ghazipur	99	7	84	8	...	...	
Kumaun	124	50	42	28	2	1	1 Case referred for revision to High Court.
Garhwal	34	11	22	...	1	...	
Jhansi	68	13	41	12	...	2	
Jalaun	54	9	34	10	...	1	
Lalitpur	91	8	63	19	1	...	
Total ...	3,967	684	2,197	942	24	100	20

(a) (b)—These numbers are included in the preceding columns.

No. 8.

Statement of the detailed results of commitments to Sessions Courts during the year 1874.

II.—COMMITMENTS.

Districts.	Number of persons committed, including those awaiting trial at the end of the last year.	Persons disposed of.		Persons remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.	Percentage of persons convicted to total number disposed of.
		Convicted, including those sentences were referred for confirmation to the High Court.	Acquitted.		
Saharanpur	50	23	9	18	·72
Muzaffarnagar ...	55	32	8	15	·80
Dehra Dun	10	9	...	1	·100
Meerut	92	67	22	2(a)	·75
Bulandshahr ...	42	27	12	2(b)	·69
Aligarh	128	90	31	7	·74
Etah	66	47	15	4	·75
Moradabad	139	80	44	13(i)	·64
Bijnor	76	39	18	19	·68
Bareilly	123	98	17	8	·85
Budaun	121	84	33	3(g)	·72
Shahjahanpur ...	65	26	22	17	·54
Agra	196	118	73	5(h)	·60
Muttra	71(d)	55	16	...	·79
Farukhabad... ...	84	66	13	5	·84
Mainpuri	103	78	21	4	·79
Etawah	99	63	16	20	·80
Cawnpore	148	103	33	11(c)	·76
Fatehpur	98	88	9	1	·90
Banda	176(e)	96	35	42	·73
Hamirpur	94	78	6	10	·92
Allahabad	125	74	40	11	·64
Gorakhpur	195(f)	155	26	13	·85
Basti	269	153	46	70	·77
Azamgarh	288	255	24	9	·91
Jaunpur	31	16	15	...	·52
Mirzapur	112	94	9	8(k)	·91
Benares	67	51	15	1	·77
Ghazipur	143	131	8	4	·94
Kumaun	34	28	5	1	·85
Garhwal	2	1	...	1	·100
Jhansi	23	16	5	...(l)	·76
Jalaun	67	39	15	6 m)	·72
Lalitpur	32	23	8	1	·74
Total ...	3,424	2,398	668	332	·78

(a) 1 Escaped.
(b) 1 Died.
(c) 1 Transferred.
(d) 1 Died.
(e) 1 Absconded. 2 Died.
(f) 1 Escaped.
(g) 1 Transferred. 2 Ditto.
(h) 1 Escaped. 2 Died.
(i) 2 Transferred.
(k) 1 Ditto.
(l) 2 Ditto.
(m) 7 Ditto and escaped.

No. 9.

Statement showing the amount of business disposed of by the Sessions Judges during the year 1874.

Names of Sessions Judges and Districts.	Commitments. Number of persons. Committed, including those awaiting trial at the end of last year.	Convicted and sentenced.	Sentenced to death, referred for confirmation.	Acquitted.	Remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.	Appeals. Number of persons. Number of appellants.	Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences modified.	Sentences reversed.	Remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.
Farukhabad ... F. Thompson, Esq.	25	21	1	3	...	18	5	13	...	...	...
Farukhabad ... G. B. Pasley, „	59	32	12	10	5	89	17	57	6	9	...
Banares ... M. Brodhurst, „	27	13	...	13	1	87	25	42	1	12	7
Banares ... H. D. Willock, „	58	39	2	17	...	S158	75	54	13	15	...
Banares ... W. Duthoit, „	13	12	1	...	...	T36	8	18	6	7	...
Meerut ... G. D. Turnbull, „	A124	50	...	23	...	...	7	97	8	23	...
Meerut ... G. E. Watson, „		31	1	7	...	217	9	33	...	7	...
Meerut ... H. M. Dashwood, „		12	...	4	4	...	11	13	1	6	2
Aligarh ... H. Lushington, „	87	48	12	27	...	157	28	92	13	24	...
Aligarh ... G. H. Lawrence, „	107	74	6	19	11	172	13	78	29	51	4
Mirzapur ... J. B. Ironside, „	Q35	46	4	4	...	73	1	33	23	16	...
Mirzapur ... C. Robertson, „	28	26	...	2	...	5	...	4	1	...	...
Mirzapur ... W. S. Halsey, „	16	12	1	3	...	6	...	6	...	...	...
Mirzapur ... J. W. Sherer, „	13	5	...	...	8	6	...	...	...	...	6
Allahabad ... R. C. Oldfield, „	18	8	1	9	...	18	2	5	...	11	...
Allahabad ... S. S. Melville, „	18	14	...	4	...	C56	5	34	7	8	...
Allahabad ... H. Lushington, „	B89	44	6	27	11	41	...	28	3	11	4
Cawnpore ... J. W. Prinsep „	225	155	22	35	D12	E252	109	74	18	17	14
Cawnpore ... C. J. Daniell „	21	14	...	7	...	F50	12	21	12	1	...
Bareilly ... G. P. Money „	G198	137	9	38	8	196	7	147	12	23	2

Mirzapur	G. Palmer, „	84	61	3	20	...	50	4	41	3	2	...				
	S. S. Melville, „	75	40	1	10	24	102	41	24	8	20	...	9			
	A. J. Lawrence „	43	34	2	7	...	21	4	14	2	1	...				
Agra	H. G. Keene, „	H267	144	10	80	5	296	97	85	37	171		1			
	J. Simson, „		11	3	8			1	3	...	1	...				
Banda	C. Grant, „	K270	157	17	41	52	66	21	27	...	7		11			
Saharanpur	W. G. Probyn, „	115	60	4	17	34	256	32	146	27	45		6			
Gorakhpur	G. B. Pasley, „	N68	58	...	9	...	83	...	47	1	35	...				
	C. A. Daniell, „	396	243	7	63	83	321	17	214	51	30		9			
Moradabad	W. J. R. Carnac, „	R215	60	2	10	32	115	4	84	17	10		10			
	R. H. Clifford, „		41	2	17		120	6	85	8	21					
	G. Palmer, „		13	1	35		148	2	97	13	26					
Shahjahanpur	J. Power, „	116	52	10	34	O20	176	10	135	19	12	...				
Ghazipur	R. F. Saunders, „	105	95	...	6	4	84	6	70	7	1	...				
	W. Oldham, „	38	36	...	2	...	15	1	14	...	...	...				
Azamgarh	J. W. Sherer, „	103	102	...	1	...	5	...	5	...	...	...				
	H. W. Chase, „	185	150	3	23	9	P83	...	62	4	5	...	11			
Jhansi	A. R. Pollock, „	L122	66	12	28	7	213	30	138	18	24		3			
Kumaun	Major-General H. Ramsay ...	36	28	1	5	2	M158	61	64	9	19		1			
	Total ...	3,424	2,244	153	668	332	3,948	666	2,193	378	576		100			

A. 1 Escaped, 1 died.
B. 1 Transferred to High Court.
C. 1 Died.
D. 1 Transferred.
E. 4 Proceedings quashed. 13 Referred for revision. 3 Returned for re-investigation.
F. 2 Ditto ditto. 1 Transferred.
G. 1 Ditto.
H. 2 Ditto. 1 Escaped. 3 Struck off.
I. Includes persons whose cases were sent back or referred to the High Court under Section 206, C. P. C.
K. 1 Absconded. 2 Died.
L. 2 Persons transferred to other Courts, and the difference of 7 is owing to the Deputy Commissioner having committed the same persons in these separate cases.
M. 1 Referred for revision to High Court. 3 Remanded.
N. 1 Escaped.
O. The difference of two persons in this and the Annual Statement No. 3, arises from the report made to the High Court for confirmation of sentence of death having been remitted to transportation for life.
P. 1 Returned for new trial.
Q. 1 Died.
R. 1 Transferred, 1 died.
S. 1 Referred to High Court.
T. 2 Ditto ditto.

No. 10.

Statement showing degrees of punishment inflicted by the Sessions Judges during the year 1874.

Districts.	Number of persons.														Detail of sentence. Number of persons.																					
			Flogged.												Fined.							Imprisonment—Penal servitude.														
																						Not exceeding														
																						Two years.		Seven years.		Exceeding 7 years.		Total.		Transportation.		Sentenced in addition to imprisonment.				
	Fined.	Imprisonments.	Adults.	Juveniles.	Ordered to find security for good behaviour.	Ordered to find security to keep the peace.	Ordered to enter into recognizance.	Ordered to maintain wife and children.	Ordered to refrain from taking possession of land and water.	Imprisoned and fined.	Imprisoned and flogged.	Fined and flogged.	Sentenced to death.	Total persons punished.	Not exceeding Rs. 200.	Not exceeding Rs. 1,000.	Exceeding Rs. 1,000.	Total number of fines.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid to injured parties by way of compensation or amend.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	For terms.	For life.	Solitary confinement.	Forfeiture of property.	Average number of stripes.	Highest number of stripes.
Saharanpur ...	1	59	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	64	1	...	...	1	1	1	...	23	3	22	...	1	...	46	3	...	10	...	...	...	...
Meerut ...	...	88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	1	94	1	4	...	5	1,350	850	...	22	...	60	...	6	...	88	...	...	5	...	...	...	...
Aligarh ...	3	112	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	...	15	137	2	1	...	3	1,025	121	...	27	...	52	...	9	...	88	...	...	26	...	...	25	30
Moradabad ...	...	58	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	47	...	...	5	111	46	1	...	47	4,165	1,968	...	38	...	60	...	7	...	105	...	...	8	...	...	15	15
Bareilly ...	...	134	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	9	146	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	46	3	56	1	7	...	109	4	...	24	...	...	30	30
Shahjahanpur ...	...	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	8	62	2	2	...	4	1,900	620	...	17	1	24	...	6	...	47	1	...	6	...	...	...	...
Agra	1	103	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	3	...	13	139	17	2	...	19	2,717	379	155	51	5	52	...	17	...	120	8	...	29	...	...	27	30
Farukhabad ...	...	41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	54	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	1	22	...	6	...	40	1	...	12	...	...	...	...

Malnpuri	...	...	116	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	...	1	6	141	14	4	...	18	2,850	650	...	34	2	71	...	15	...	120	2	...	13	...	1	30	30
Cawnpore	...	1	149	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	13	7	...	22	197	12	1	...	13	804	354	34	53	...	90	..	12	...	155	...	...	8	...	...	17	30
Banda ...	...	...	139	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	17	157	1	...	...	1	100	...	...	34	...	92	...	6	...	132	...	..	25	...	...	...	...
Allahabad	...	1	63	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	7	73	1	1	...	2	1,010	250	240	11	..	46	...	1	...	58	...	...	7	...	...	20	20
Gorakhpur	...	1	262	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	1	...	7	292	19	3	...	22	1,751	621	5	57	1	163	...	33	...	283	1	...	16	10	...	30	30
Azamgarh	...	...	244	...	3	..	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	3	255	5	...	...	5	160	21	...	41	...	170	...	16	...	226	...	...	18	...	...	35	30
Jaunpur	...	...	14	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	16	1	...	...	1	25	2	...	5	...	7	...	...	..	12	...	...	2	...	...	...	...
Mirzapur	...	...	71	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	5	78	2	...	...	2	75	12	...	9	...	52	...	12	...	73	...	...	16	...	...	...	...
Benares	...	...	46	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	2	51	3	...	..	3	250	31	27	7	...	17	...	9	...	38	...	3	13	3	...	30	30
Ghazipur	...	...	118	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	...	...	...	131	12	1	...	13	610	654	145	39	1	76	...	13	...	128	1	...	2	4	...	...	...
Kumaun	...	...	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	1	24	2	1	...	...	320	...	...	5	...	17	...	1	...	20	...	2	3	...	...	...	...
Jhansi	...	...	66	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	78	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	21	...	5	...	31	...	21	15	...	5	...	...
Total	...	3	1,953	1	11	...	...	...	...	...	159	16	1	151	2,300	141	21	...	159	19,113	6,534	606	565	17	1,170	1	182	..	1,914	18	26	259	17	6	26	30

No. 11.

Statement showing the particulars of trials held by the Sessions Judges with aid of Assessors during the year 1874.

Districts.	Average number of assessors in each case.	Number of cases tried with assessors.	Number of persons of classes employed as Assessors.							Number of cases in which Judge agreed with assessors.	Number of cases in which Judge differed from assessors.	Number of persons fined for non-attendance.	Amount of fine imposed.	Remarks.
			Pleaders.	Bankers or traders.	Engaged in service.	Agriculturists.	Landholders	Other classes.	Total.					
Saharanpur ...														
Muzaffarnagar* ...	3	44	...	55	...	...	69	8	132	36	8	1	2	
Dehra Dun ...														
Meerut ...	3	32	...	17	27	...	42	10	96	27	5	...	...	
Bulandshahr ...	3	30	...	17	9	...	20	6	52	19	1	...	...	
Aligarh ...	3	46	...	39	14	...	49	16	118	41	5	...	...	
Etah ...	2	40	...	14	4	...	70	10	98	36	4	1	50	
Moradabad ...	3	64	...	6	...	...	48	14	68	54	10	...	...	
Bijnor ...														
Bareilly ...	3	64	...	43	16	...	59	74	192	58	6	10	11	
Budaun ...	3	39	...	33	...	...	84	...	117	32	7	...	...	
Shahjahanpur ...	3	48	...	24	12	...	108	...	144	42	6	1	2	
Agra ...	3	81	30	164	7	4	19	17	241	71	10	12	85	
Muttra ...	3	22	4	44	5	...	6	7	66	17	5	4	9	
Farukhabad ...	3	43	...	7	9	...	20	93	129	40	3	...	...	
Mainpuri† ...	3	29	...	...	...	...	93	...	93	21	8	3	12	
Etawah‡ ...	3	27	...	32	7	...	48	...	87	21	6	...	...	
Cawnpore ...	3	78	45	101	13	...	75	...	234	48	30	...	...	
Fatehpur ...	3	45	...	40	32	3	60	...	135	26	19	...	...	
Banda ...	3	47	11	42	34	8	38	18	141	41	6	2	40	
Hamirpur ...	3	34	10	35	10	7	40	...	102	33	1	...	...	
Allahabad ...	3	48	...	47	5	...	89	26	167	37	11	3	39	
Gorakhpur§ ...	3	63	...	74	5	...	101	9	189	50	13	...	...	
Basti ...	3	47	...	5	...	...	136	...	141	42	5	...	...	
Azamgarh ...	3	109	7	16	...	...	304	...	327	90	19	...	...	
Jaunpur ...	3	17	...	9	1	...	41	...	51	16	1	...	...	
Mirzapur ...	3	49	...	65	...	25	45	12	147	41	8	...	...	
Benares‖ ...	3	32	...	56	17	...	21	3	97	29	3	1	50	
Ghazipur ...	3	31	...	6	1	...	62	11	80	27	4	...	...	
Kumaun ...	3	12	...	8	2	...	26	...	36	12	...	...	...	
Garhwal ...	3	1	...	...	1	...	2	...	3	1	...	...	...	
Jhansi ...														
Jalaun ...	3	29	4	30	...	...	36	17	87	25	4	...	...	
Lalitpur ...														
Total ...	3	1,241	111	1,029	231	47	1,806	346	3,570	1,033	208	38	300	

* Out of 52 cases, 8 were tried without aid of assessors.
† Two cases heard without aid of assessors.
‡ Three ditto ditto.
§ One case ditto ditto.
‖ Two cases ditto ditto.

No. 12.

Statment showing the average number of days during which each trial and appeal lasted in Courts of Sessions Judges during the year 1874.

Districts.	Trial of committed cases.		Appeals	
	Number of trials disposed of during the year 1874.	Average number of days during which each trial lasted.	Number of appeals disposed of during the year 1874.	Average number of days during which each appeal lasted.
Saharanpur	52	33	148	12
Muzaffarnagar				
Dehra Dun				
Meerut	32	23	79	16
Bulandshahr	20	38	50	18
Aligarh	46	3	120	17
Etah	40	3	94	22
Moradabad	50	63	125	31
Bijnor...	23	102	63	34
Bareilly	103	17	141	16
Budaun		40	53	20
Shahjahanpur	48	26	114	16
Agra	91	24	86	16
Muttra	27	26	68	13
Farukhabad	44	29	74	10
Mainpuri	31	29	38	24
Etawah	30	53	77	19
Cawnpore	78	28	147	7
Fatehpur	45	38	35	14
Banda...	47	75	20	30
Hamirpur	34	64	11	43
Allahabad	63	21	77	9
Gorakhpur	68	77	214	12
Basti	50	81	39	20
Azamgarh	109	36	46	18
Jaunpur	23	52	54	10
Mirzapur	55	21	48	12
Benares	34	38	163	7
Ghazipur	68	24	64	13
Kumaun	12	15	34	15
Garhwal	1	22	25	18
Jhansi	8	61	53	16
Jalaun	18	34	36	18
Lalitpur	13	110	59	18
Total ...	1,363	43	2,504	16

No. 13.

1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.	16.	17.	18.	19.	20.	21.	22.	23.	24.
		Number of persons whose cases were disposed of by the High Court.											Number of persons whose cases were appealed or called for on perusal of monthly statements.				Number of persons whose cases were submitted under Sections 323 and 295 and 296, Act X. of 1872, Section 404, Act XXV. of 1861.						
		Old Law.					New Law.																
Zila.	Names of Sessions Judges.	Number of persons whose cases were referred to High Court.	Number of persons whose sentences passed agreed with Sessions Judge's recommendation.	Number of persons in which it differed.	Number of persons acquitted by High Court.	Total.	Number of persons sentenced to death referred to High Court for confirmation.	Number of persons in which sentences of death was passed by Sessions Judge and confirmed by High Court.	Number of persons in which it was modified.	Number of persons acquitted by High Court.	Total.	Grand Total.	Number in which order was confirmed.	Number modified or remanded.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Number confirmed.	Number modified.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Percentage of columns 4 and 9 to columns 3 and 8.	Percentage of columns 14 and 18 to totals of columns 17 and 21.	
Farukhabad ...	F. Thompson, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	13	...	1	14	8	...	...	8	·100	·95	
	G. B. Pasley, " ...	1	...	1	...	1	9	5	3	1	9	10	5	...	2	7	14	3	1	18	·50	·76	
Benares ...	M. Brodhurst, " ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	1	...	10	1	1	...	2	...	·83	
	H. D. Willock, " ...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	2	2	23	5	...	28	14	1	...	15	·100	·86	
	W. Duthoit, " ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	1	...	1	1	2	2	...	4	2	...	...	2	...	·67	
Meerut ...	G. D. Turnbull, " ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	3	1	23	2	...	1	3	·100	·81	
	G. F. Watson, " ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	1	1	2	4	7	...	...	...	...	·100	·14	
Aligarh ...	G. H. Lawrence, " ...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	3	3	20	1	...	21	6	3	...	9	·100	·86	
	H. Lushington, " ...	...	...	...	...	...	14	8	...	2	14	14	13	5	11	29	5	1	...	6	·50	·51	
Mirzapur* ...	*J. B. Ironside, " ...	...	...	...	...	...	4	7	...	...	4	4	4	4	1	9	6	2	...	8	·100	·59	
	C. Robertson, " ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	7	1	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	·87	
	W. Halsey, " ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	·100	...	
	R. C. Oldfield, " ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	3	...	...	3	3	...	...	3	·100	·100	
	J. C. Robertson, " ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	·100	
Allahabad ...	H. D. Dashwood, " ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	·100	
	S. S. Melville, " ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	·100	
	H. Lushington, " ...	...	...	...	...	...	8	7	1	...	8	8	2	10	...	12	10	1	1	12	...	·66	
Cawnpore ...	J. H. Prinsep, " ...	...	...	...	...	...	22	14	7	1	22	22	29	11	7	47	3	...	1	4	·88	·31	
Bareilly ...	G. P. Money, " ...	...	...	...	...	...	8	8	...	...	8	8	17	6	4	27	10	3	...	23	·64	·70	
	S. S. Melville, " ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	11	...	1	12	14	2	...	16	·100	·72	
Mainpuri ...	G. Palmer, " ...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	3	3	14	1	...	15	3	...	5	8	·100	·70	
	A. G. Lawrence, " ...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	1	...	2	2	7	4	11	22	1	2	...	3	·100	·88	
																	8	...	1	9	·50	·48	

Agra	H. G. Keene,	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	10	2	...	12	12	31	7	17	55	20	5	1	26	·83	63
	J. Simson,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	3	2	...	...	2	...	·100
Banda	C. Grant,	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	11	6	...	17	17	53	22	5	80	6	1	...	7	·85	·69
Jhansi	A. R. S. Pollock,	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	8	1	1	10	10	26	...	7	33	7	...	...	7	·80	·82
	J. Davidson,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	·100
	A. H. Ternan,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	·50
	A. G. Davidson,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	·100
Saharanpur	W. G. Probyn,	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	...	4	4	13	2	3	18	18	21	1	40	·100	·53
Kumaun	General H. Ramsay	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	7	1	3	11	2	1	1	4	·100	·60
Gorakhpur	G. B. Pasley, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	15	3	28	9	...	...	9	...	·51
	C. A. Daniell,	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	7	...	...	7	7	19	10	1	30	23	18	...	41	·100	·59
Moradabad	W. J. R. Carnac,	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	2	2	33	22	10	65	...	...	...	...*	·100	·51
	R. H. Clifford,	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	3	3	9	...	6	15	...	...	...	...	·100	·60
	G. Palmer,	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	15	11	...	26	·100	·67
Shahjahanpur	J. Power,	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	7	3	...	10	10	12	19	1	28	7	3	1	11	·70	·56
Ghazipur	R. Saunders,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	8	3	29	10	10	...	20	...	·57
	W. Oldham,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	...	...	9	2	1	...	3	..	·91
Azamgarh	H. Chase,	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	2	2	31	1	1	33	...	11	...	11	·100	·70
	J. W. Sherer,	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	34	2	3	39	4	...	...	4	·100	·88
	Total,	...	1	...	1	...	1	151	116	30	5	151	152	512	159	107	778	246	101	14	361	·76	·68

* NOTE 1.—Out of 12 persons discharged by the Magistrate, and the order confirmed by Mr. Ironside, the High Court directed the retrial of 3 persons.

2.—One person was released in appeal by order of Mr. Ironside; the High Court annulled the order of acquittal.

No. 14.

Statement of business disposed of in the High Court of Judicature at Allahabad in the year 1874—Original side.

	Cases.			Before.					
	Remaining from the year 1873.	Filed in the year 1874.	Disposed of on merits.	One Civilian Judge.	One Barrister Judge.	One Barrister and one Civilian Judge.	One Barrister and two Civilian Judges.	Otherwise disposed.	Days of sitting.
Criminal trials ...	...	1	1	...	1				

No. 15.

Statement showing the nature of the penalties inflicted under the judgment of the High Court.

Penalties.	Appellate jurisdiction.		Original jurisdiction.	
	1874.	1873.	1874.	1873.
Death	116	100	...	...
Transportation for life... ...	27	26	...	...
„ above 7 years and not exceeding 14 years	1	1	...	...
Imprisonment for life	...	...	...	...
„ above 12 years and not exceeding 21 years ...	...	1	...	...
„ above 5 years and not exceeding 10 years ...	27	45	1	16
„ not exceeding 5 years ...	172	189	...	...
The average duration of cases in the High Court was 13 days ...	...	...	...	...

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Description of offences.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
CLASS I.							
OFFENCES AGAINST THE STATE, THE PUBLIC, AND JUSTICE.							
Against the State.							
Waging war against the Queen, 121, ...	1	1	1	...	...	...	
Collecting arms or concealing attempt to wage war, 122, 123, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
War or depredation on allied powers, 125 to 127, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Abetment of mutiny, Mutiny Act 131, 132, ...	1	1	1	...	...	...	
Relating to Coin, Stamps, Weights and Measures.							
Counterfeiting coin, 231 to 238, ...	18	31	8	21	1	1	
Diminishing or altering coin, 246 to 249, ...	4	5	1	4	...	...	
Passing or possessing bad or altered coin, 239 to 243 & 250 to 254 ...	145	142	51	87	3	1	
Counterfeiting stamps or selling same, 255 to 259, ...	...						
Using as genuine counterfeit stamps, or effacing or altering same, 260 to 263.	15	16	5	11	...	...	
Making, using, or possessing false weights or measures, 264 to 267, ...	253	343	109	232	2	...	
Against Public Justice.							
Personating public servant or soldier, 140, 170, 171, ...	33	36	4	31	...	1	
Concealing design to commit offence 118 to 120, ...	4	4	2	2	...	...	
Omitting to give information of offence, or giving false information, 176-177, 181-182, 202, 203.	748	1,079	286	774	...	19	
Causing disappearance of evidence, 201 & 204, ...	43	110	56	48	...	6	
Resisting, obstructing, or omitting to assist public servant, 183 to 187, 189, 190	510	1,216	313	894	...	9	
Disobedience of lawful order, causing injury, 188, ...	767	2,033	365	1,659	...	9	
Intentional insult or interruption in judicial proceedings 228, ...	294	340	3	337	...	...	
Harbouring an offender, 212, 216, ...	25	61	9	50	...	2	
Taking gift to screen offender, 213 to 215, ...	146	220	110	108	1	1	

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CLASS I.—(*concluded.*)	192	362	67	290	2	3	
Resistance to lawful apprehension, and rescue, 224—225, ...	116	142	9	126	2	5	
Escape from lawful custody or transportation, 224—226, ...	476	961	178	779	...	4	
Absconding from, avoiding, or disobeying summons or notice, or order to attend, or produce, or refusing to answer or sign, 172 to 175 & 178 to 180.	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Failure to attend as juror or assessor, C. P., 414							
By Public Servants.	185	275	145	125	...	5	
Taking valuable thing by, or to influence, public servant, 161-165 ...	27	44	17	26	...	1	
Public servant acting illegally to injure any person, 166—167, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Ditto unlawful trading, 168-169	16	34	6	28	...	...	
Ditto fraudulently defeating punishment or forfeiture, 217—218,...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Ditto willfully making order or decision contrary to law, 219—220,	19	43	16	25	1	1	
Ditto intentionally omitting to apprehend, or permitting to escape, 221—222.	86	93	16	77	...	...	
Ditto negligently suffering escape, 129—223, ...	114	157	39	112	...	6	
Breach of Police Act by Police Officers							
Fales evidence, false complaints or claims, and forgery.							
Giving false evidence, 193 to 196, ...	404	786	201	548	2	35	
Fabricating false evidence. 193 to 196	12	22	3	14	...	5	
Making, issuing, or using false statement or certificate, 197 to 200 ...	2	9	1	8	...	...	
False personation in judicial proceedings, 205—229 ...	7	24	16	8	...	...	
Fraudulent claim to, or concealment of, property, or suffering of decree, 206 to 208, 421 to 424.	18	38	17	21	...	...	
False claim in Court of Justice, 209—210	25	39	9	30	...	...	
Ditto charge of offence, 211	232	313	104	197	...	12	
Frivolous or vexatious complaint, C. P., 469	320	347	...	347	...	...	
Forgery, or fraudulently using or possessing forged document, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 471, 473 to 477	108	198	112	69	3	14	
Making or using false trade marks, 482 to 489	12	42	17	25	...	...	

Public Nuisances.							
Public nuisances under Penal Code, 269 to 294	578	1,466	180	1,286	...	...	
Nuisances under Police, or Municipal and Local Acts	3,225	8,906	580	8,324	...		2
Relating to the Public Peace.							
Rioting or unlawful assembly, 143 to 153, 157, 158	377	2,566	655	1,839	...		2
Omitting to inform of, or prevent riot, 154 to 156	2	6	5	1	3		69
Affray, 160	436	2,085	394	1,686	...	...	
Offences relating to religion, 295 to 298	60	85	53	32	...		5
CLASS II.							
OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON.							
MURDER 302—303, By thugs	...	...	...	...	...	...	
MURDER 302—303, By dacoits	12	57	21	35	...		1
MURDER 302—303, By robbers	25	48	10	25	4		9
MURDER 302—303, By poison. For sake of robbery	2	2	1	1	...	...	
MURDER 302—303, By poison. From other motives	31	54	10	39	1		4
MURDER 302—303, Other murders, From motives connected with women ...	62	99	20	64	...		15
MURDER 302—303, Other murders, From other motives	217	443	83	312	2		46
Attempt to murder, 307	59	75	13	46	10		6
Culpable homicide 304 to 308	298	708	161	426	10		111
Abetment of suicide, 305 to 306	4	48	13	34	1	...	
Attempt to commit suicide, 309	933	709	202	499	2		6
Causing miscarriage, 312 to 316	52	65	44	16	...		5
Exposure of infant, or concealment of birth, 317, 318	148	133	30	92	...		11
Grievous hurt, 325, 326	1,186	1,942	461	1,413	8		60
Ditto on grave and sudden provocation, 335	45	82	16	66	...	...	
Hurt, 323 to 334	14,618	12,396	5,368	6,960	1		67
Ditto by dangerous weapons, 324	185	151	44	106	...		1
Administering stupefying drugs, 328	48	45	13	22	2		8
Causing hurt to extort property or confession, 327, 329 to 333 ...	46	110	31	76	...		3
Act dangerous to life or safety, 336, 337	19	36	7	29	...	...	
Wrongful restraint, 341	973	831	452	376	...		3
Ditto confinement, 342 to 346	352	296	176	115	1		4
Wrongly to extort property or confession, 347, 348	20	38	28	10	...	...	
Assault or use of criminal force, 352, 355, 358	5,916	8,869	4,226	4,602	1		40
Criminal force to deter a public servant, 353	42	83	26	57	...	...	
Assault or use of criminal force to a woman, 354	18	18	4	14	...	...	
Criminal intimidation or insult, 504 to 509	447	491	263	226	1		1
Causing annoyance in state of intoxication, 510	14	16	...	16	...	...	
Unlawful compulsion of labour, 374	66	14	8	6	...	...	
Buying or disposing of any person as a slave, 370, 371	3	9	4	5	...	...	
Kidnapping or abduction, 363 to 365, 367 to 369	190	315	112	182	5		16
Abducting a woman to compel marriage or for defilement, 366 ...	21	40	19	16	4		1

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CLASS II.—(*concluded.*)							
Selling, letting, or unlawfully obtaining a woman for purposes of prostitution, 372, 373	38	97	37	43	10	7	
Enticing a married woman with criminal intent, 498, ...	2,163	1,620	1,126	433	11	50	
Fraudulent and unlawful marriages, 493 to 496, ...	120	65	54	10	...	1	
Adultery, 497, ...	80	91	58	27	2	4	
Rape, 376, ...	324	227	139	68	2	18	
Unnatural offences, 377, ...	75	55	21	32	...	2	
Defamation, 500 to 502, ...	213	198	130	67	...	1	
CLASS III.							
OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY, WITH VIOLENCE.							
	131	908	253	551	18	80	
Dacoity, 395, 397, 398, ...	...	2	1	1	...	...	
Ditto 396, ...	...	...	..	...	...	...	
Preparation or assembly for dacoity, 399 to 402, ...	8	16	...	16	...	...	
Robbery with hurt or deadly weapon, { By poison or stupefying drugs, By other means, } 394, 397, 398,	55	89	11	71	3	4	
Robbery ... { In a dwelling house, On the highway, Elsewhere, } 392-393, ...	117	129	83	42	...	4	
	57	96	18	76	2	...	
	204	304	125	169	1	9	
Extortion, 384 to 389	379	398	263	113	4	18	
House-breaking or house-trespass in order to commit theft, 451, 454, 457.	22,941	4,682	908	3,696	23	55	
House-breaking or house-trespass in order to commit an offence other than theft, 449, 450, 451, 454, 457.	642	236	68	154	2	12	
House-breaking or house-trespass with preparation for, or attempt at hurt, 452, 455, 458, 460.	36	56	6	45	4	1	
House-breaking or lurking house-trespass, 452, 455, 458 ...	4,693	277	50	217	...	10	

CLASS III.—(concluded.)							
Without violence.							
Theft of cattle, ordinary, 379, 380, 381	6,243	3,665	881	2,717	19	49	
	30,898	16,550	3,239	13,164	26	121	
Theft after preparation for causing death, 382, ...	2	4	2	2	...	...	
Dishonestly receiving stolen property, 411 to 414, ...	4,763	7,362	1,781	5,416	57	108	
Dishonest misappropriation of property, 403, 404, ...	536	643	246	387	...	10	
Criminal breach of trust, 406 to 409, ...	922	755	358	378	3	16	
Cheating, 417 to 420, ...	933	860	480	345	8	27	
Malicious offences.							
Mischief, ordinary, 426, 427, 430 to 433.	8,021	5,645	3,320	2,506	...	19	
Ditto by poisoning or killing cattle, 428, 429, ...	578	714	193	504	6	11	
Ditto by destroying land-marks, 434, ...	25	23	9	14	...	...	
Serious mischief by fire, 435, 436 to 438, ...	377	160	103	47	4	6	
Criminal trespass or house-trespass 447, 448, ...	3,657	3,361	1,814	1,415	1	31	
Breaking closed receptacle, 461, 462, ...	14	11	2	9	...	...	
CLASS IV.							
NOT INCLUDED IN THE ABOVE CLASSES.							
Belonging to a gang of thugs, 311, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Ditto ditto dacoits, 400, ...	1	22	1	21	...	...	
Ditto ditto thieves, 401, ...	3	10	2	8	...	...	
Vagrancy without ostensible means of livelihood, C. P. C., 504, ...	515	739	226	478	14	21	
Bad habit and repute, C P. C., 505, 506, ...	672	1,764	434	1,310	11	29	
Criminal breaches of contracts of service, 490 to 492, ...	38	95	27	68	...	...	
Attempt to commit offences, 511, ...	6,491	148	32	111	...	5	
Abetment, 511, ...	116	59	12	45	...	2	
BREACHES OF SPECIAL LAWS FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE REVENUE, OR ON OTHER SUBJECTS, THE ACTS BEING SPECIFIED.							
Breaches of laws relating—							
To excise on spirits and drugs, Act XXI. 1856, ...	958	1,323	266	1,049	1	7	
„ ditto, Opium	232	322	47	268	...	7	
„ Salt and saltpetre, Act XXXI. of 1851, Act XIV, of 1843, ...	554	824	43	775	...	1	
„ Sea and Land Customs, Act XVII. of 1861, ...	123	213	4	209	...	...	
„ Stamp Act, XVII. of 1869, ...	95	175	35	140	...	...	
„ Paper Currency Act, XIX. of 1861, and Act I. of 1862, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ Mint, Act, XIII. of 1866, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ Post office Act, XIV. of 1866, ...	25	49	18	30	...	1	
„ Electric Telegraph Act, VIII. of 1860, ...	1	1	...	1	...	...	
„ Payment of watchmen, Act XX. of 1856, ...	5	8	...	8	...	...	

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CLASS IV.—(*concluded.*)							
To Municipalities Act, VI. of 1868, ...	4,315	7,504	936	6,564	...	4	
„ Jails Act, VIII. of 1863, ...	184	193	6	187	...	...	
„ Forests Act, VII. of 1865, ...	...	3	...	3	...	...	
„ Ferries, Regulation VI. of 1819, ...	17	35	10	18	...	7	
„ Canals Act, VII. of 1845, ...	1,974	4,548	936	3,610	2	...	
„ Railways Acts, XVIII. of 1854, and LII. of 1860, ...	364	480	78	400	1	1	
„ Tolls Act, VIII. of 1851, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ Stage Coaches, XVI. of 1861,...	31	42	19	23	...	...	
„ The Press Act, XXV. of 1867, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ Gaming and Lotteries Act, III. of 1867, ...	218	1,185	173	1,006	1	5	
„ Wandering and dangerous lunatics, ...	3	3	...	...	3	...	
„ Cattle trespass Act. III. of 1857, ...	690	1,118	369	744	...	5	
„ Possession of Arms Act, XXXI. of 1860,...	245	303	75	224	1	3	
„ Foreigners Act, III. of 1864, ...	...	3	...	...	3	...	
„ Emigration Act, XIII. of 1864, ...	4	6	3	3	...	...	
„ Criminal tribes, ...	41	51	29	22	...	...	
Contempt of Court, C. P. C., 435 and 436, ...	18	23	...	23	...	...	
Proceeding to compel payment of penalty by accused, C. P. C., 396.	36	71	6	65	...	...	
Ditto by sureties, 397 ditto	18	40	4	36	...	...	
Personal recognizance to keep the peace, 489, 490, ditto ...	554	1,659	231	1,419	1	8	
Security to ditto, 490, 491, ditto	790	2,303	300	1,991	...	12	
Default to enter into bond, forfeiture of recognizance, 497 ditto ...	39	90	12	78	...	...	
Breach of the peace, 530 and 491 ditto	42	201	74	127	...	...	
Maintenance to wife and children, 536, ditto	186	125	60	65	...	...	
Proceeding connected with disputed land or water, 530	105	186	80	106	...	...	
Security for good behaviour, 505 ditto	442	1,021	178	803	14	26	
Breach of Pound Act, I. of 1871	15	23	8	15	...	...	
Restoration of forfeited property, C. P. C., 173	1	1	1	...	...	...	
Breach of Sections 92 and 94, Act X. of 1872	3	2	1	...	1	...	

Penalty for non-appearance of party under bail, 398, Act X. of 1872,	2	6	...	6	...	...
Lock Hospital Rules, Act XXIII. of 1868, ...	119	176	18	158	...	...
License Tax, ...	301	710	...	710	...	...
Breach of Act V. of 1861, ...	719	1,357	117	1,240	...	...
Infringement of rules sanctioned by Government, Act XXII. of 1864,	512	792	97	695	...	...
Infanticide Act, VIII. of 1870, ...	530	695	127	566	...	2
Breach of laws relating to Pleaders, ...	6	7	...	7	...	...
Eunuchs, Act XXVII. of 1875, ...	5	21	...	3	...	18
Breach of contract by workmen, ...	8	10	4	6	...	...
Escape from custody, ...	3	3	...	3	...	...
Obstruction dangerous to human life, 518, C. P. C, ...	1	1	1	...	...	...
Forcibly opposing the seizure of cattle, Act X. of 1871, ...	40	104	35	69	...	...
Breach of duties of village and road policemen, Act XVI. of 1873, ...	285	389	38	347	...	4
Neglect of duty, Act XX. of 1856, ...	302	592	44	546	...	2
Refusing to deliver up uniform, 28, Act V. of 1861, ...	1	1	...	1	...	...
Total, ...	1,48,176	1,34,159	37,037	95,312	332	1,478

NOTE—Persons convicted and remaining under trial do not correspond with general statement No. I., because some districts have included the committed persons in the column of convicted, while others have excluded them from this column, and included them with persons whose cases were remaining under trial.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. III.—(CRIMINAL).

Statement showing the general result of criminal trials in the tribunals of various classes in the districts of the North-Western Provinces in the year 1874.

Class of tribunal.	Number of persons dealt with.							Persons disposed of.								Remarks.
	Remaining at end of last year.	Brought to trial during present year.				Received by transfer.	Total.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	Remaining at end of year.	Average number of days during which each case lasted.	Number of witnesses who attended.	
		Under arrest by Police.	Upon warrant.	On summons.	Voluntarily.											
	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.	16.	17.
Village officers, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Unpaid Magistrates, ...	32	4,151	90	5,933	100	...	10,306	1,739	1,034	7,478	18	5	32	6	15,997	
Local and Subordinate paid Magistrates,	198	17,825	711	26,671	866	11	46,282	7,239	5,888	32,639	248	90	178	7	92,586	
Full power Magistrates exercising throughout the district.	891	37,783	2,676	27,440	926	437	70,153	9,834	9,587	47,099	2,470	243	920	8	1,71,421	
Chief Magistrates of Districts, ..	94	4,826	397	2,384	138	159	7,998	780	891	5,585	553	79	110	7	15,534	
Total Magistracy, ...	1,215	64,585	3,874	62,428	2,030	607	1,34,739	19,592	17,400	92,801	3,289	417	1,240	7	2,95,538	
Sessions Court, ...	348	2,485	276	44	13	280	3,446	38	631	2,290	106	49	332	36	11,476	
High Court, ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	
GRAND TOTAL, ...	1,563	67,070	4,151	62,472	2,043	887	138,186	19,630	18,031	95,092	3,395	466	1,572	22	307,014	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No IV.—(CRIMINAL).

Statement showing the punishments inflicted by various criminal tribunals in the districts of the North-Western Provinces in the year 1874.

Class of tribunal.	Persons sentenced to												Persons ordered to fined or give		
	Death.	Transportation.		Penal servitude.	Imprisonment.			Forfeiture of property.	Fine.		Whipping.		Security of the peace.	Recognizance.	Sureties for good behaviour.
		For life.	For a term.		Rigorous.		Simple.		With imprisonment.	Without imprisonment.	In addition to other punishment.	In lieu of punishment.			
					With solitary confinement.	Without solitary confinement.									
By Village Officers, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
By unpaid Magistrates, ...	...	...	...	...	...	545	84	...	102	6,584	22	196	...	21	9
By Subordinate Local paid Magistrates, ...	...	...	...	...	2	7,110	301	...	1,534	23,117	199	1,625	45	221	40
By Full Power Magistrates of general jurisdiction, ...	...	...	...	...	100	14,297	779	...	1,679	18,444	743	4,544	1,162	2,029	1,566
By Chief Magistrates of Districts, ...	...	...	...	...	7	1,527	95	...	282	1,738	104	749	116	499	597
By Sessions Court, ...	151	259	26	...	17	1,491	11	2	158	7	18	9	...	...	...
By High Court, ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	151	259	26	...	126	24,971	1,220	2	3,755	49,892	1,086	7,123	[illegible]23	2,770	2,212

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. IV.—(CRIMINAL.)—(*concluded.*)

Statement showing the punishments inflicted by various criminal tribunals in the districts of the North-Western Provinces in the year 18[illegible]

	DETAIL OF PUNISHMENT.																						
	FINE.									IMPRISONMENT.										WHIPPED.			
										15 *days.*		6 *months.*		2 *years.*		7 *years.*		*Above 7 years.*				
	Rs. 10 and under.	Rs. 50 and under.	Rs. 100 and under.	Rs. 500 and under.	Rs. 1,000 and under.	Above Rs. 1,000.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	10 stripes and under.	20 stripes and under.	30 stripes and under.
By Village Officers, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
By unpaid Magistrates, ...	6,396	237	3	...	...	...	13,146	12,161	650	217	31	42	10	17	...	...	...	...	...	76	118	24
By Subordinate Local paid Magistrates,...	23,017	1,579	25	10	...	...	96,469	81,793	3,792	2,314	223	5,623	152	259	1	...	...	...	...	757	884	306
By Full Power Magistrates of general jurisdiction.	15,783	3,970	313	126	7	...	2,1[illegible],885	1,56,753	8,223	1,043	291	8,618	560	6,770	21	35	...	...	...	1,343	2,366	1,693
By Chief Magistrates of Districts, ...	1,441	454	92	44	3	...	39,293	24,063	1,883	132	58	788	149	928	6	37	...	7	...	271	401	182
By Sessions Court, ...	20	76	38	23	6	...	19,163	6,537	6 6	...	4	147	10	419	3	1,162	1	170	...	1	11	14
By High Court, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total, ...	46,657	6,316	471	203	16	...	3,79,958	2,81,307	14,634	4,196	607	12,604	7 2	8,373	32	1,234	1	177	...	2,348	3,780	2,124

This return does not correspond with general statement No. 3, because it has been compiled from the revised form, while statement No. 3 is compiled as usual from the statement embodied in the report; the latter return is in old form.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. V.—(Criminal).

Statement showing the result of appeals and revisions in criminal cases in the districts of the North-Western Provinces in the year 1874.

Tribunal.		Number of appellants or persons applying for revision under Section 292, C. P. C.	Number of persons. Appeals or applications rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences modified.	Sentences reversed.	Proceedings quashed.	Further inquiry or evidence ordered.	Cases referred for revision to High Court.	Pending.	Remarks.
Magistrates of districts.	Appeals from unpaid Magistrates, ...	[illegible]	18	182	27	97	...	2	...	7	
	Appeals from paid Magistrates, ...	2,639	317	1,369	306	537	1	43	7	59	
Sessions Court.	Appeals from unpaid Magistrates ...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Appeals from paid Magistrates, ...	4,122	779	2,222	363	567	...	21	50	104	
High Court, ...		818	A. 136	502	159	107	25	22	...	33	

A.—These cases were not called for by the High Court; almost all of them have been received by post and rejected.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. XI.

Statement showing use of Juries and Assessors in the Civil and Criminal Courts of the North-Western Provinces in the year 1874.

Classes of Courts in which Jurors or Assessors are employed, distinguishing Criminal from Civil Courts.	Established or average number of Jury or Assessors in each case, and prescribed qualification.	Number of cases tried by Jury.	Number of cases with Assessors.	Jury trials. Cases in which the Judge approved of the verdict.	Jury trials. Cases in which the Judge did not approve of the verdict.	Assessors' trials. Number of cases in which Judge agreed with Assessors.	Assessors' trials. Number of cases in which Judge differed from Assessors.	Note.—Showing in what classes of cases Juries and Assessors have been principally employed.	Remarks.
Sessions Judge's Court, North-Western Provinces, ...	{ Assessors 3, Juries 7.	...	...	1250 A.	1	1033	208	...	
High Court, North-Western Provinces, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	

In 9 cases assessors were not consulted.

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NOTE ON THE CRIMINAL STATEMENTS FOR 1875.

THE number of offences reported and prosecuted in the year 1875 showed a considerable increase over the figures for the year 1874. It is observed that this increase has been progressive in the last five years.

2. One lakh fifty-four thousand five hundred and seventy-eight offences were reported during the year, 76,519 were prosecuted, and 1,42,521 persons were under trial. Of these persons, 38,839 were acquitted or discharged, 1,02,394 were convicted or committed for trial, and 1,035 persons were awaiting trial at the close of the year.

3. The corresponding results in 1872, 1873, and 1874 are shown with those of 1875 in the marginal table.

Year.	Reported.	Prosecuted.	Under trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted and committed	Undisposed of.
1872 ...	1,19,566	63,239	1,15,949	35,211	79,146	1,212
1873 ...	1,38,895	70,752	1,28,208	36,254	90,337	1,215
1874 ...	1,48,176	74,948	1,34,159	37,037	95 673	1,240
1875 ...	1,54,578	76,519	1,42,521	38,839	1,02,394	1,035

4. The increase in a measure is to be attributed to a truer system of reporting offences, and to the fact that closer attention than formerly has been given to petty offences, such as public nuisances, offences against municipal bye-laws, and to town offences under the Police Act. It is partly attributable to the failure of the kharif harvest in some of the western districts, which led to an increase in the offences against canal laws.

The increase in the number of persons brought to trial was due to the activity of the courts and of the police rather than to any real augmentation of crime.

The court has had reason to observe that the provisions of section 124 of the criminal procedure code are too commonly ignored altogether in practice, and it is feared that the police sometimes detain accused persons in custody more than 24 hours. The court has, however, issued stringent instructions that any occurrence of the kind should be at once brought to its notice.

5. The state of the pending files in the criminal courts at the close of the year was very satisfactory. The heaviest pending files (85) were in the districts of Agra and Azamgarh, and the next heaviest (63) is found in Sháhjahánpur. These have been sufficiently explained. Most of the other districts show creditable results in this respect.

6. The court notices with much regret that the number of cases which had been protracted for more than six weeks increased from 118 in 1874 to 155 in 1875. In Aligarh, so many as 44 were protracted for more than six weeks, in the course of the year, in Basti 28, and in Bulandshahr and Jaunpur 21 respectively. The delays in Basti, Bulandshahr, and Jaunpur have been sufficiently explained. The Judge of Aligarh has been called upon for an explanation of the delay.

7. The percentage of persons convicted and committed (·72) was the same as in the previous year 1874. Prosecution was most successful in the districts shown in the margin. Of these districts Cawnpore, Basti, Mainpuri, and Allahabad, maintain the creditable position in this respect which they occupied in the years 1872, 1873, and 1874.

Tarái	·87
Cawnpore and Kumaun	·82
Allahabad ...	·80
Meerut and Budaun...	·79
Saháranpur, Etáwah, and Lalitpur,	·78
Bijnor and Basti ...	·77
Mainpuri ...	·76
Hamírpur ...	·75
Etah and Gorakhpur	·74

The worst results were from the districts of Garhwál (·54), Jaunpur (·59), Benares (·60), and Agra (·61). All these districts were similarly conspicuous in the previous year.

8. Offences against the person of the more heinous sort are shown for the last six years in the annexed table:—

	1870.	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.
Murder ...	339	322	321	354	349	324
Culpable homicide,	215	263	293	285	298	274
Grievous hurt ...	935	1,073	1,069	1,199	1,186	1,045
Hurt ...	7,788	8,858	8,725	11,695	14,618	17,077

9. Offences against property are exhibited in the following statement:—

	1870.	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.
Theft ...	26,992	22,541	31,139	35,381	30,898	32,047
Robbery ...	488	404	391	470	433	378
Dacoity ...	79	80	83	118	131	41
House-breaking for theft,	17,868	20,238	19,771	23,433	22,941	27,379

The increase, as stated above, was in non-bailable offences, and chiefly under the head of house-breaking and theft, and is due to a better system of reporting offences by the police. The offence of house-breaking with a view to theft has apparently not been materially checked by the recent alterations in the system of village police. The paucity of prosecutions is still out of all proportion to the number of cases reported. Some of the judges have of late tried the effect of severe sentences. It is hoped that thereby the offence may be materially repressed.

10. Four hundred and thirty-six cases were reported in 1875 under the Infanticide Act against 530 in the previous year: 2,101 offences against the revenue laws, and 6,022 under the Municipalities Act were brought before the courts in the year.

Three thousand one hundred and seventy attempts to commit offences were recorded.

11. Four thousand two hundred and seventy-three persons were dealt with under the provisions of the law for keeping the peace, 2,351 persons were required to find security for good behaviour, 307 persons were reported as vagrants, having no means of livelihood

12. The second general statement shows the working of the magisterial courts of the provinces in the year under review.

One thousand two hundred and thirty-one persons were awaiting trial from the previous year, 66,124 persons were arrested, and 74,824 were summoned before the magisterial tribunals, making in all, with 748 transferred for trial from other parts of the country, a total of 1,42,927 persons, for disposal, against a total of 1,34,739 persons in the previous year.

13. These persons were disposed of as follows:—

Discharged without trial	22,131
Acquitted	16,631
Convicted, including committed	1,02,899
Died, escaped, or transferred	235
Awaiting trial at the end of the year	1,031

Of the latter, 501 were in custody and 530 were at large on bail or recognizance.

14. Compared with the results of the three previous years, these figures were—

	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.
Discharged ...	19,034	19,210	19,592	22,131
Acquitted ...	16,177	17,041	17,400	16,631
Convicted, including committed,	79,146	90,337	96,090	1,02,899
Died, escaped, or transferred ...	350	405	417	235

15. Of the entire number of persons disposed of, ·15 discharged without trial, was the same as in the previous year 1874. Excessive averages of persons discharged without trial were found in the following districts :—

	Average discharged without trial.
Benares	·33
Muzaffarnagar	·28
Agra	·28
Bulandshahr	·21

The number of persons discharged without trial in some of the districts does not speak well either for the police or for the magisterial officers who summoned the accused. The attention of the several officers concerned has been called to this subject, and the court trusts that future returns will shew better results.

16. The proportion of acquittals was ·12, as compared with ·13 in the previous year.

17. The court has reason to be satisfied generally with the result of the despatch of criminal business in the past year.

18. One hundred and fifty-five cases of more than six weeks' duration were pending at the end of the year ; 44 were in Aligarh, 28 in Basti, 21 in Bulandshahr and Jaunpur, 11 in Dehra Dún, 10 in Bánda, 8 in Bijnor, 6 in Budaun, 2 in Benares, and 1 in Agra, Farukhabad, Etáwah, and Fatehpur.

19. The third general statement exhibits the punishments imposed by the magisterial courts during the year.

They were as follows :—

Fined	59,261
Imprisoned	24,048
Flogged	6,092
Ordered to find security for good behaviour ...	2,351
„ to keep the peace	1,158
„ to enter into recognizance	3,115
Imprisoned and fined	3,602
„ and flogged	886
Fined and flogged	7
Grand Total ...	1,00,520

The total of the previous year amounted to 92,814.

20. The entire amount of fines imposed during the year was Rs. 3,70,281, of which Rs. 2,92,049, or ·79 were realized, and Rs. 18,086 were paid as compensation to injured parties.

21. Of the persons fined, 56,746 were sentenced to fines not exceeding Rs. 10, 5,513 were fined sums not exceeding Rs. 50, 481 persons were sentenced to fines not less than Rs. 50 and not exceeding Rs. 100, and 145 persons were fined in sums ranging from Rs. 100 to Rs. 500.

22. Twenty-six thousand five hundred and twenty-nine persons were sentenced to rigorous, and 1,494 persons to simple, imprisonment during the year. The various imprisonments thus inflicted were as follows:—

Imprisonment not exceeding 15 days, 4,074 rigorous and 686 simple ; not exceeding 6 months, 14,924 rigorous and 787 simple ; not exceeding two years, 7,431 rigorous and 21 simple, and in excess of two years, 100 rigorous and none simple.

23. Nine hundred and six juveniles and 5,186 adults were flogged; the average number of stripes being 16, and the highest number inflicted being 30.

24. Two thousand and eight persons, being ·59, were imprisoned in default of finding security for being of good behaviour and for keeping the public peace.

Comparing the very different results exhibited in different districts, the court sees reason to fear that the extraordinary powers under which magistrates require security are not always exercised with sufficient discretion.

In support of this view the annexed memo. will show the use of these powers in certain adjacent districts :—

	Ordered to find security for good behaviour, and to keep the peace.	*Imprisoned in default of furnishing security.*
Aligarh	151	77
Etah	20	14
Agra	112	67
Muttra	41	10
Cawnpore	251	251
Fatehpur	21	21
Mainpuri	58	19
Etáwah	120	95
Bánda	147	147
Hamírpur	55	25
Azamgarh	202	78
Jaunpur	63	40
Mirzapur	156	88
Benares	34	22
Ghazipur	204	66

From the above it will be seen that in Cawnpore, Fatehpur, and Bánda all the persons required to find security were imprisoned.

The remarks on this subject of Mr. Young, the Magistrate of Mainpuri, which received the concurrence and approval of the court, are recorded in an appendix.

25. The statistics of punishment for the last five years are summarized in the annexed tabular statement :—

	Fined.	Imprisoned.	Flogged.	Security for good behaviour.	Security to keep the peace.	Recognizance to keep the peace.	Imprisoned and fined.	Imprisoned and flogged.	Fined and flogged.	Total.
1871 ..	44,721	14,901	3,280	1,295	1,802	2,370	2,376	408	6	71,352
1872	43,86[illegible]	18,817	4,652	1,258	2,174	1,810	2,809	582	13	75,999
187[illegible]	48,088	22,719	6,550	1,683	1,927	2,276	3,114	784	21	87,414
1874	49,844	24,672	7,418	2,202	1,493	2,6[illegible]0	3,634	935	7	92,814
1875 ..	59,261	24,048	6,092	2,351	1,158	3,115	3,602	886	7	1,00,520

26. The next (fourth) statement shows the number of witnesses who attended the magisterial courts, and the period of their detention there; 3,01,105 witnesses were examined in the year, of whom 2,78,905 were dismissed by the courts on the first day; of the rest, 22,200 in number, 20,382 were detained between 1 and 3 days, 1,769 were detained above three and less than seven days, and 49 above seven days. Of these latter, the Magistrate of Basti was answerable for 27, the Bulandshahr and Gházipur courts for six, Hamírpur for four, and Bijnor and Budaun for three.

27. The average duration of cases in the magisterial courts in the year was eight days, as compared with seven days in the previous year, or the same as in the year 1873.

The best results were attained in Meerut and the Tarái, where it was three days only; in Dehra Dún and Allahabad, where it was four, and in Bareilly and Bánda, where it was five. The duration was high in Garhwál (17 days), but, as remarked in previous years, the circumstances of this district are peculiar; in Mirzapur, Gházipur, and Kumaun (10 days), in Muzaffarnagar, Moradabad, Bijnor, Agra, Fatehpur, Hamírpur, Gorakhpur, Basti, Jhánsi, and Jalaun (8 days).

The excessive duration of cases in Gházipur is attributed by the magistrate to the insufficient staff of officers, to illness of officers resulting from over-work, and the dilatoriness of the officer in charge of the Ballia sub-division. The magistrate of Gházipur complains that the magisterial staff in the sub-division of Ballia is insufficient.

28. The fifth statement shows the results of appeals from subordinate magistrates to the magistrates of districts; 3,153 appeals were preferred, of which 431 were rejected, 1,689 were dismissed, 969 were wholly or partially successful, and 27 remained undecided at the end of the year.

The percentage of successful appeals to the entire number disposed of was ·30 in 1875, as compared with ·36 in 1874.

29. The seventh statement shows the results of appeals to the sessions courts in the provinces.

Four thousand three hundred and eight persons appealed, being 341 in excess of the previous year; 818 appeals were summarily rejected, 2,274 failed on the hearing, 948 succeeded, and 77 resulted in remands, while 112 remained pending at the close of the year. The percentage of successful appeals in the sessions courts was ·23 in 1873, as compared with ·25 in the previous year. The largest number of appeals was made to the sessions courts of Benares (269), Moradabad (263), Gorakhpur (256), Aligarh (228), and Allahabad (205).

The smallest number of appeals was in Tarái (15), Dehra Dún (16), Hamírpur (26), Garhwál (28), and Budaun (35).

30. The eighth statement shows the details of cases committed to the sessions courts during the year 1875: 2,891 persons were sent for trial to the sessions courts in the year. This total was 533 less than in 1874, a diminution partially explained by recent changes in the law.

The sessions courts disposed of 2,697 of these commitments, convicting 1,986 persons and acquitting 711, being an average of ·74 in 1875, as compared with ·78 in the previous year.

31. One hundred and eighty-two persons were awaiting trial at the end of the year.

32. The largest number of commitments was made in the districts of Basti (218), Cawnpore (177), Sháhjahánpur (163), Bareilly (153), Gházipur (147), and Bánda (143).

The fewest commitments were in the districts of Saháranpur (47), Bulandshahr (40), Kumaun (14), Lalitpur (7), Garhwál (5), Dehra Dún (3), and Tarái (2).

33. The percentage of persons convicted to the number disposed of was highest in the districts of—

Hamírpur	·96
Sháhjahánpur	·94
Fatehpur	·91
Budaun, Farukhabad, and Gházipur	·90

Bánda	...	...	...	·86
Mirzapur	...	...	...	·83
Garhwál	...	...	...	·80
Cawnpore	...	...	...	·79
Muttra	...	...	...	·78
Benares	...	...	...	·77
Bareilly and Jalaun		...	...	·76

The worst results were found in the following districts:—

Lalitpur and Tarái		...	...	·50
Muzaffarnagar	...	...	...	·48
Moradabad	...	...	...	·34

34. The heaviest pending files at the end of the year were in the courts of the judges of Moradabad, Sháhjahánpur, and Cawnpore.

35. Two thousand and fifty-nine persons were punished by the sessions judges in 1875, of whom 129 were sentenced to death, 199 to transportation for life, 70 to transportation for terms, 1,447 to rigorous imprisonment, 21 to simple imprisonment, 134 to fine with imprisonment, 20 to fine without imprisonment, 19 to whipping in addition to other punishment, and 20 to whipping in lieu of other punishment.

36. The fines imposed by the sessions judges during the year aggregated Rs. 12,989, of which Rs. 4,582 were realized.

Sentences of solitary confinement in addition to imprisonment were passed on nine persons by the judge of Farukhabad, three by the judge of Gorakhpur, and two by the judge of Sháhjahánpur.

In one district solitary confinement was regarded as a peculiarly appropriate punishment in the cases of twice-convicted women, and the court enjoined that great care should be exercised that only persons physically fit to undergo this punishment are subjected to it.

37. One thousand one hundred and ninety-eight cases were tried with the aid of assessors during the year. The judges agreed with the assessors in 1,045, and differed from them in 148, cases. As in previous years, the great majority of the assessors were drawn from the land-holding, banking, and trading classes.

38. The cases of one hundred and thirty-one persons sentenced by the sessions judges to death came in the year before the High Court for confirmation; 92 of these sentences were confirmed by the High Court, 31 were modified, and eight annulled; 760 cases came before the High Court in appeal or revision, the court modified the order or remanded the case in 186 instances, and annulled the sentences in 82.

Four hundred and fifty cases came before the court under sections 322, 295, and 296 of Act X. of 1872; the court confirmed the sentences in 297 cases, modified it in 177, and annulled it in 36.

39. The High Court on the original side disposed of one case during the year.

40. With reference to the orders of Government in regard to the payment of extra remuneration to Government pleaders in conducting and prosecuting criminal cases, the court has had reason to believe that these orders are very differently interpreted in the different districts. In some districts the judges appear to have regarded the power vested in them as to be exercised only in extremely exceptional cases, while in other districts the court inclines to think that the power was exercised perhaps more freely than the Government orders allowed. Inquiry has been made on this point and the court proposes to address the Government in the matter at an early date.

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, N.-W. P.:
Allahabad, the 16th September, 1876.

W. TYRRELL,
Registrar.

APPENDIX.

Remarks recorded by the Magistrate of Mainpuri in his report on the Administration of Criminal Justice during the year 1875.

I HAVE myself taken a fair share in the original criminal work during the nine months I have been here, keeping in my own hands a portion of the district where my staff of officers was reduced, as it was for four months, by Mr. Mulock's transfer, and reserving important cases when it was complete. I have also retained all charges against police officers, and also all cases where persons suspected of bad livelihood were called on to give security, as I found that the extensive powers given under the law against suspected persons were in my judgment much too freely used.

I cannot but think that this power is one which should be exercised with great circumspection.

It is the ready resort of inefficient or lazy police, and its tendency is to create a profound dread of the police not only among the predatory classes, but also among the most peaceable and industrious. It is a very difficult thing for a man to disprove a charge of this kind, and it is often a very difficult thing even for a respectable man to find persons willing and able to give security for him. I am fully alive to the highly beneficial effect of a resort to the provisions of this law against such persons as wealthy fences or dangerous and notorious leaders or robbers; but the constant application of police officers, who have failed to trace a theft or burglary, to be allowed to send up the accused for trial as badmashes, should, I think, be generally discountenanced.

APPENDIX.

No 1.

General statement showing the number of offences reported and prosecuted, as well as the number of persons under trial, and those whose cases were disposed of during the year 1875 in the Magisterial Courts, North-Western Provinces.

District.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of offences prosecuted.	Number of persons under trial.	Number of persons whose cases were disposed of.		Number of persons whose cases were left undisposed of at the close of the year.	Percentage of persons convicted and committed to those whose cases were disposed of.
				Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted, including committed.		
Saháranpur ...	3,166	2,146	4,067	872	3,172	20	·78
Muzaffarnagar ...	4,551	2,057	3,839	1,327	2,496	15	·65
Dehra Dún ...	902	857	1,282	420	824	27	·66
Meerut ...	4,731	3,608	6,183	1,663	6,483	34	·79
Bulandshahr ...	3,164	2,059	4,184	1,165	2,968	44	·72
Aligarh ...	4,459	2,834	5,296	1,695	3,548	50	·68
Etah ...	3,106	1,550	2,837	733	2,068	33	·74
Moradabad ...	9,871	3,658	6,348	1,812	4,513	21	·71
Bijnor ...	2,303	1,515	3,151	712	2,405	31	·77
Bareilly ...	6,929	2,889	5,234	1,639	3,573	21	·68
Budaun ...	8,407	2,163	3,643	763	2,859	20	·79
Sháhjahánpur ...	7,011	2,786	4,871	1,625	3,173	63	·66
Agra ...	5,971	4,072	8,013	3,055	4,857	85	·61
Muttra ...	2,304	1,712	3,673	1,080	2,580	9	·70
Farukhabad ...	4,014	2,428	4,724	1,284	3,411	28	·72
Mainpuri ...	2,467	1,218	2,928	690	2,219	15	·76
Etáwah ...	4,071	2,163	3,585	776	2,760	49	·78
Cawnpore ...	5,838	3,978	7,330	1,308	5,984	32	·82
Fatehpur ...	2,744	1,762	3,791	1,086	2,672	24	·71
Bánda ...	3,717	2,093	4,323	1,204	3,075	29	·72
Hamírpur ...	4,222	1,644	2,636	648	1,965	15	·75
Allahabad ...	10,263	5,249	9,506	1,799	7,645	59	·80
Gorakhpur ...	13,720	3,920	6,629	1,698	4,877	48	·74
Basti ...	4,521	1,694	3,163	725	2,419	17	·77
Azamgarh ...	5,367	1,982	3,553	681	2,775	85	·80
Jaunpur ...	5,766	1,956	3,364	1,359	1,964	23	·59
Mirzapur ...	3,663	2,066	3,956	1,345	2,586	29	·66
Benares ...	5,759	3,598	6,323	2,468	3,796	58	·60
Gházipur ...	4,746	2,441	4,653	1,371	3,273	5	·70
Kumaun ...	1,018	739	1,147	199	944	4	·82
Garhwál ...	741	253	401	180	213	7	·54
Tarái ...	251	183	314	33	275	...	·87
Jhánsi ...	2,326	1,257	2,116	561	1,521	3	·73
Jalaun ...	1,415	1,288	2,357	639	1,662	18	·72
Lalitpur ...	1,074	701	1,091	227	819	19	·78
Total of 1875 ...	154,578	76,519	142,521	38,839	102,394	1,035	·72
Total of 1874 ...	148,176	74,043	134,159	37,037	95,673	1,240	·72
District average of 1875,	4,417	2,186	4,072	1,110	2,926	30	·72
District average of 1874,	4,358	2,178	3,945	1,089	2,814	37	·72

Persons whose cases were transferred for trial in other districts, or who died or escaped from custody, are not shown in this table. Their number is shown in table No. 2.

No. 2.

Statement showing the general results of criminal trials before the various Magisterial authorities in the districts of the North-Western Provinces during the year 1873.

District.	Number of persons dealt with.					Persons disposed of.				Remaining at the end of the year.		Number of enquiries by subordinate Magistrates, under Sections 135, 180, and Chapter XVI. of the Criminal Procedure Code.	Number of cases pending above six weeks at the end of the year.	Percentage of convictions in cases committed.
	Remaining at end of last year.	*Brought to trial during the year.*		Received by transfer.	Total.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted, including committed.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	In custody.	On bail or recognizance.			
		By arrest.	By summons or recognizance.											
Saháranpur	45	1,654	2,367	1	4,067	511	361	3,172	3	15	5	5	...	·73
Muzaffarnagar	28	1,054	2,755	2	3,839	1,108	219	2,496	1	8	7	2	...	·66
Dehra Dún	5	629	645	3	1,282	313	107	824	11	4	23	...	11	...
Meerut	32	2,804	5,348	...	8,184	969	694	6,488	3	8	22	21	...	·73
Bulandshahr	31	1,694	2,458	1	4,184	1,018	147	2,969	6	32	12	57	21	·83
Aligarh	21	2,265	3,003	7	5,296	853	842	3,548	3	31	19	11	44	·53
Etah	31	1,356	1,464	20	2,871	536	197	2,102	3	18	15	13	...	·66
Moradabad	30	2,630	3,688	...	6,348	946	866	4,513	2	11	10	61	...	·67
Bijnor	31	1,277	1,824	2	3,134	128	531	2,441	3	19	12	26	3	·54
Bareilly	33	2,407	2,810	...	5,250	643	996	3,589	1	19	2	14	...	·83
Budaun	26	1,831	1,733	3	3,643	428	335	2,859	1	9	11	140	6	·87
Sháhjahánpur	44	2,715	2,071	41	4,871	961	664	3,173	10	21	42	19	...	·93
Agra	46	2,775	4,880	312	8,013	1,457	1,598	4,857	16	21	64	34	1	·75

Muttra	21	1,311	2,333	8	3,673	660	420	2,560	4	...	9	...	...	·82
Farukhabad	36	2,365	2,314	14	4,729	691	593	3,416	1	16	12	8	1	·99
Mainpuri	60	1,382	1,486	...	2,928	205	485	2,219	4	8	7	4	...	·70
Etáwah	54	1,883	1,648	15	3,600	352	424	2,775	...	34	15	15	1	·93
Cawnpore	68	3,166	4,084	12	7,330	426	882	5,984	6	8	24	...	...	·82
Fatehpur	14	1,534	2,235	8	3,791	621	465	2,672	9	14	10	10	1	·91
Bánda	41	2,139	2,134	9	4,323	447	748	3,075	24	17	12	6	10	·86
Hamírpur	15	1,634	967	80	2,696	349	299	2,025	8	10	5	166	...	·90
Allahabad	32	3,252	6,220	2	9,506	1,145	654	7,645	3	29	30	22	...	·86
Gorakhpur	58	3,529	3,214	1	6,802	1,127	571	5,050	6	37	11	133	...	·67
Basti	76	2,167	886	76	3,205	233	492	2,442	21	13	4	...	28	·72
Azamgarh	31	2,557	1,001	7	3,596	380	301	2,818	12	20	65	1,935	...	·56
Jaunpur	24	1,125	2,212	3	3,364	900	450	1,984	7	4	19	1	21	·71
Mirzapur	100	1,556	2,308	2	3,966	848	497	2,586	6	14	15	...	...	...
Benares	28	3,717	2,555	48	6,348	2,110	358	3,821	6	29	24	7	2	·78
Gházipur	115	2,661	1,867	19	4,662	627	729	3,297	4	3	2	...	...	·95
Kumaun	5	858	286	...	1,147	82	117	944	...	1	3	...	...	·81
Garhwál	3	183	213	2	401	124	56	213	1	...	7	...	...	·83
Tarái	1	177	136	...	314	8	31	275	...	...	...	1	...	·59
Jhánsi...	4	1,466	685	11	2,116	363	198	1,525	27	3	...	31	...	·74
Jalaun...	19	1,566	743	29	2,357	355	264	1,679	21	9	9	...	...	·76
Lalitpur	23	807	251	10	1,091	207	20	843	2	16	3	...	...	·50
Total ...	*1,231	66,124	74,824	748	142,927	22,131	16,631	1,02,899	235	501	530	2,742	155	·70

* Exclusive of 10 struck off at Budaun and inclusive of one for the new district of Tarái.

The causes of difference between the figures of this statement and those of No. 1 are, that in some districts cases committed and referred to sessions, included in this statement, are not included in No. 1, and cases transferred from one court to another in the same district are twice, sometimes thrice, entered in this statement.

No.

Statement showing the degrees of punishment inflicted by the several Magisterial

District.	NUMBER OF PERSONS PUNISHED.												
	Fined.	Imprisoned.	Flogged.		Ordered to find security for good behaviour.	Ordered to find security to keep the peace.	Ordered to enter into recognizance.	Ordered to maintain wife and children.	Ordered to refrain from taking possession of land or water.	Imprisoned and fined.	Imprisoned and flogged.	Fined and flogged.	Total persons punished.
			Juveniles.	Adults.									
Saháranpur ...	2,217	382	18	112	59	5	241	1	5	97	6	...	3,143
Muzaffarnagar ...	1,871	329	11	70	19	...	60	...	...	95	6	...	2,461
Dehra Dún ..	480	240	1	65	...	4	29	...	...	2	...	...	821
Meerut ...	5,337	646	26	134	36	33	37	1	...	96	59	1	6,406
Bulandshahr ...	2,068	546	21	41	27	7	158	...	...	60	5	...	2,933
Aligarh ...	2,239	797	4	131	101	50	36	...	...	78	22	...	3,458
Etah ...	1,108	563	10	83	20	...	70	...	...	132	13	...	1,999
Moradabad ...	2,420	1,266	54	147	146	65	111	..	...	240	17	...	4,466
Bijnor ...	1,431	419	6	59	76	22	102	...	...	238	56	...	2,409
Bareilly ...	1,473	1,209	119	98	137	16	247	3	..	96	31	...	3,429
Budaun ...	1,335	914	24	160	150	67	88	2	3	95	19	...	2,857
Sháhjahánpur ...	1,468	846	26	137	43	261	153	3	...	115	26	1	3,079
Agra ...	3,239	988	35	123	81	31	29	5	8	159	47	...	4,745
Muttra ...	1,670	580	25	85	23	18	51	...	...	45	21	...	2,518
Farukhabad ...	1,846	873	14	78	123	24	184	...	...	132	28	...	3,309
Mainpuri ...	1,143	572	13	98	26	32	156	1	11	87	18	...	2,157
Etáwah ...	1,238	716	41	313	112	8	153	1	...	92	37	5	2,716
Cawnpore ...	3,990	1,109	35	239	212	39	88	1	...	75	42	...	5,830
Fatehpur ...	1,657	648	5	33	14	10	78	...	...	142	7	...	2,594
Bánda ...	1,364	972	22	103	29	118	106	2	1	236	24	..	2,977
Hamirpur ...	787	683	46	188	32	23	45	2	10	40	36	...	1,893
Allahabad ...	5,545	1,171	65	214	136	25	173	...	...	152	72	..	7,553
Gorakhpur ...	2,447	1,054	93	720	162	35	60	21	11	124	77	...	4,805
Basti ...	851	1,042	30	261	21	11	55	...	...	192	31	..	2,494
Azamgarh ...	1,121	650	16	461	165	36	88	1	...	140	57	...	2,736
Jaunpur ...	975	529	23	100	49	14	49	...	2	169	23	...	1,933
Mirzapur ...	1,360	595	11	74	83	73	209	12	2	55	31	...	2,505
Benares ...	2,226	994	46	218	23	11	94	...	...	88	12	...	3,712
Gházipur ...	1,743	976	29	121	137	67	91	...	...	124	23	...	3,311
Kumaun ...	628	142	6	39	36	33	10	...	...	37	1	...	932
Garhwál ...	146	36	3	6	1	...	9	...	...	7	2	...	210
Tarái ...	127	99	...	4	24	5	2	...	...	12	...	...	273
Jhánsi ...	804	441	3	121	19	7	43	...	...	53	10	...	1,506
Jalaun ...	646	529	11	261	11	8	9	...	...	54	23	...	1,652
Lalitpur ...	261	392	12	89	17	...	...	...	...	38	4	...	813
Total ...	59,261	24,048	905	5,186	2,851	1,158	3,115	56	53	3,602	836	7	100,629

3.

tribunals of the districts of the North-Western Provinces during the year 1875.

DETAIL OF SENTENCE.							
NUMBER OF PERSONS.							
Fines							
Not exceeding Rs. 10.	Not exceeding Rs. 50.	Not exceeding Rs. 100.	Not exceeding Rs. 500.	Total number of fines.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid to injured parties by way of compensation or amend.
					Rs.	R.	Rs.
2,128	152	22	11	2,314	15,669	11,696	833
1,840	114	9	2	1,966	9,816	6,386	378
457	23	2	...	482	1,730	1,578	146
5,044	359	23	7	5,434	25 317	23,451	593
2,025	95	8	...	2,128	6,782	5,630	320
2,071	230	13	3	2,317	15,036	11,205	1,195
1,053	180	6	1	1,240	9,413	7,148	929
2,390	264	7	8	2,672	18,395	14,466	233
1,338	263	61	11	1,673	18,763	11,171	1,001
1,342	149	70	8	1,569	14,655	11,254	1,619
1,149	246	29	6	1,430	15,579	14,252	1,316
1,373	196	12	3	1,584	9,182	6,276	756
3,220	170	4	4	3,398	13,872	11,939	191
1,609	104	2	...	1,715	7,231	6,179	53
1,821	149	6	1	1,978	10,162	7,431	78
1,114	109	7	...	1,230	7,196	5,724	479
1,055	246	27	7	1,335	12,953	11,144	1,214
3,849	192	20	4	4,065	15,521	12,866	847
1,649	136	10	5	1,800	8,263	6,203	420
1,417	162	11	10	1,600	11,862	11,110	788
765	54	6	2	827	4,620	4,221	233
5,363	295	30	8	5,697	22,051	14,723	801
2,326	234	10	3	2,573	13,674	12,957	823
895	143	5	1	1,044	7,003	5,364	365
1,091	160	5	5	1,261	8,907	6,214	399
928	206	3	7	1,144	11,114	9,364	282
1,330	73	10	2	1,415	7,735	6,457	366
2,101	190	16	7	2,314	11,820	9,321	247
1,566	275	18	8	1,867	15,585	11,338	273
572	78	13	2	665	5,306	3,687	150
125	28	...	...	153	1,158	1,207	217
90	39	7	3	139	2,663	1,517	209
814	45	...	3	862	3,529	2,605	123
595	102	6	...	703	4,766	3,676	225
241	52	3	3	299	2,953	2,259	74
56,746	5,513	481	145	62,893	3,70,281	2,92,049	18,086

No. 3.

Statement showing the degrees of punishment inflicted by the several Magisterial tribunals of the districts of the North-Western Provinces during the year 1875—(concluded).

District.	DETAIL OF SENTENCE.														
	Number of Persons														
	Imprisoned										*Flogging.*		Persons imprisoned in default of security.	Fines not exceeding Rs. 1,000.	Fines above Rs. 1,000.
	Not exceeding														
	15 days.		6 months.		2 years.		7 years.		Total.						
	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Rigorous above 7 years.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Average number of stripes.	Highest number of stripes in any one case.			
Saháranpur ...	37	9	241	17	175	2	4	...	457	2	19	30	10	1	...
Muzaffarnagar	100	4	172	6	144	1	3	...	419	11	18	30	8	1	...
Dehra Dún ...	109	3	76	1	48	...	...	...	238	4	17	30	...	...	...
Meerut ...	46	45	471	12	227	...	...	...	744	57	12	30	170	1	...
Bulandshahr,	175	21	217	7	191	...	...	...	583	28	16	30	18	...	...
Aligarh ...	168	19	465	12	237	...	1	...	866	31	20	30	77	...	...
Etah ...	86	14	410	24	173	1	...	...	669	39	20	30	14	...	...
Moradabad ...	265	41	760	36	404	...	...	...	1,429	77	17	30	94	3	...
Bijnor ...	109	8	310	11	188	...	...	...	637	19	16	30	21	...	...
Bareilly ...	100	19	810	26	266	6	...	...	1,285	51	16	30	89	...	...
Budaun ...	69	23	458	47	31	1	...	...	843	71	19	30	109	...	...
Sháhjahánpur,	277	33	494	17	165	...	...	...	936	50	14	30	12	...	...
Agra ...	295	44	543	14	297	1	...	...	1,135	59	16	30	67	...	...
Muttra ...	122	12	313	1	198	...	...	...	633	13	14	30	10	...	...
Farukhabad...	113	12	590	20	238	...	...	...	1,001	32	17	30	97	1	...
Mainpuri ...	168	9	317	...	183	...	...	...	668	9	17	30	19	...	...
Etáwah ...	83	10	494	27	230	...	...	...	807	37	14	30	95	...	...
Cawnpore ...	101	30	700	89	355	1	...	...	1,156	70	15	30	251	...	...
Fatehpur ...	178	27	381	23	186	...	1	...	746	50	23	30	24	...	...
Bánda ...	123	21	818	23	211	...	36	...	1,188	44	15	30	147	...	...
Hamírpur ...	147	3	461	12	126	...	...	...	744	15	18	30	25	...	...
Allahabad ...	117	43	697	70	472	1	...	...	1,286	114	18	30	139	1	...
Gorakhpur ...	65	57	639	68	422	4	...	...	1,126	129	17	30	137	...	...
Basti ...	169	46	576	42	240	...	...	...	985	88	12	30	19	...	...
Azamgarh ...	110	29	400	23	285	...	...	...	795	57	20	30	78	...	...
Jaunpur ...	113	21	366	42	178	1	...	...	657	64	17	30	40	...	...
Mirzapur ...	53	10	398	19	213	...	...	...	664	29	14	30	88	...	...
Benares ...	90	5	688	48	262	...	1	...	1,041	53	18	30	22	...	...
Gházipur ...	48	23	579	24	289	1	12	...	928	48	19	30	66	...	...
Kumaun ...	11	1	94	8	64	1	1	...	170	10	16	30	12	...	...
Garhwál ...	4	...	22	2	17	...	...	...	43	2	16	30	1	...	...
Tarái ...	...	...	43	3	65	...	...	...	108	3	15	20	20	...	...
Jhánsi ...	92	21	267	14	104	...	11	...	474	35	17	30	16	...	...
Jalaun ...	83	15	426	37	126	...	19	...	654	52	15	30	...	...	...
Lalitpur ...	84	8	198	12	121	...	11	...	414	20	23	30	13	...	...
Total ...	4,074	686	14,924	787	7,431	21	100	...	26,529	1,494	16	30	2,008	8	...

No. 4.

Statement showing the number of witnesses who attended the Magistrates' Courts and the period of their detention.

District.	Number of witnesses who attended.	Number of witnesses detained.			Percentage of witnesses detained.		
		Above one day.	Above three days.	Above seven days.	Above one day.	Above three days.	Above seven days.
Sahárunpur ...	8,019	21	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarnagar ...	5,500	27	...	...	...	...	...
Dehra Dún ...	1,064	1,020	44	...	·95	·4	...
Meerut ...	10,438	682	...	...	·6	...	...
Bulandshahr ...	6,575	154	62	6	·2	·1	...
Aligarh ...	10,715	426	26	...	·4	...	...
Etah ...	5,8 8	600	...	...	·10	...	...
Moradabad ...	17,525	1,584	221	...	·9	·1	...
Bijnor ...	8,321	915	59	3	·11	...	...
Bareilly ...	16,597	990	26	...	·6	...	...
Bedaun ...	10,536	292	...	3	...	...	...
Sháhjahánpur ...	11,344	4,283	575	...	·37	·4	...
Agra ...	16,229	1,782	61	...	·11	...	...
Muttra ...	6,758	...	...	...	...	...	...
Farukhabad ...	10,491	210	63	...	·2	...	...
Mainpuri ...	9,528	124	1	...	·1	...	...
Etáwah ...	8,583	315	...	...	·3	...	...
Cawnpore ...	12,104	246	...	...	·2	...	...
Fatehpur ...	6,598	554	23	...	·8	...	...
Bánda ...	7,833	220	59	...	·3	·1	...
Hamírpur ...	6 538	423	29	4	·6	...	...
Allahabad ...	17,699	931	60	...	·5	...	...
Gorakhpur ...	15,301	1,092	82	...	·7	...	...
Basti ...	7,013	399	139	27	·5	·1	...
Azamgarh ...	8,840	985	...	...	·11	...	...
Jaunpur ...	8,962	527	37	...	·5	...	...
Mirzapur ...	9,950	102	...	...	·1	...	...
Benares ...	10,170	182	16	...	·2	...	...
Gházipur ...	12,483	659	160	6	5	·1	...
Kumaun ...	1,427	3	2	...	...	...	...
Garhwál ...	882	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tarái ...	894	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jhánsi ...	4,007	240	35	...	·6	·1	...
Jalaun ...	4,541	193	26	...	·4	·1	...
Lalitpur ...	2,028	201	13	...	·10	...	...
Total ...	301,105	20,382	1,769	49	·8	...	...

No. 5.

Statement showing the results of the appeals from the orders of the Assistants preferred to the Magistrates of the districts, during the year 1875.

District.	Number of appellants.	Number of persons.					Remarks.
		Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences reversed or modified.	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending.	
Sahárunpur	82	30	33	15	3	1	
Muzaffarnggar	125	49	34	37	..	5	
Dehra Dún	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Meerut	83	...	63	20	...	...	
Bulandshahr	73	1	43	27	...	2	
Aligarh	264	24	137	93	9	1	
Etah	105	4	61	34	5	1	
Moradabad	118	32	50	26	...	4	6 cases referred to High Court.
Bijnor	65	1	50	14	...	...	
Bareilly	116	11	65	40	...	...	
Budaun	62	2	41	17	...	...	2 cases referred to High Court.
Sháhjahánpur	23	1	10	10	...	2	
Agra	240	21	177	39	3	...	
Muttra	115	1	79	35	...	...	
Farukhabad	165	22	98	45	...	...	
Mainpuri	53	...	41	11	...	1	
Etáwah	96	20	63	13	...	...	
Cawnpore	108	12	56	40	...	...	
Fatehpur	132	51	43	35	...	...	
Bánda	32	4	20	8	...	...	
Hamírpur	70	18	31	19	2	...	
Allahabad	92	9	49	31	3	...	
Gorakhpur	177	10	99	61	3	...	4 cases referred for revision to High Court.
Basti	131	1	54	69	...	4	3 do. do.
Azamgarh	78	25	23	27	2	...	1 do. do.
Jaunpur	135	19	51	43	1	1	20 cases referred to High Court.
Mirzapur	31	5	17	8	...	1	
Benares	112	37	48	25	2	...	
Gházipur	83	4	40	20	15	3	1 do. do.
Kumaun	28	2	14	11	1	...	
Garhwál	36	2	26	7	...	1	
Tarái	9	3	5	1	...	...	
Jhánsi	42	8	27	7	...	...	
Jalaun	62	2	30	30	..	...	
Lalitpur	10	...	8	2	...	...	
Total	3,153	431	1,689	920	49	27	37

No. 6.

Statement showing the average number of days during which each case lasted in the Courts of Magistrates of the districts and their subordinates, during the years 1874 *and* 1875.

District.	Average duration of Cases in the Magisterial Courts.					
	For the year 1874.			*For the year* 1875.		
	Year.	Months.	Days.	Year.	Months.	Days.
Sahárunpur	...	...	7	...	...	6
Muzaffarnagar	...	...	7	...	...	8
Dehra Dún	...	...	6	...	...	4
Meerut	...	...	4	...	...	3
Bulandshahr	...	...	8	...	...	7
Aligarh	...	...	11	...	...	8
Etah	...	...	6	...	...	6
Moradabad	...	...	12	...	...	8
Bijnor	...	...	7	...	...	8
Bareilly	...	...	6	...	...	5
Budaun	...	...	8	...	...	8
Sháhjahánpur	...	...	6	...	...	6
Agra	...	...	7	...	...	8
Muttra	...	...	6	...	...	6
Farukhabad	...	...	7	...	...	7
Mainpuri	...	...	8	...	...	6
Etáwah	...	...	7	...	...	6
Cawnpore	...	...	5	...	...	6
Fatehpur	...	...	8	...	...	8
Bánda	...	...	7	...	...	5
Hamírpur	...	...	7	...	...	8
Allahabad	...	...	4	...	...	4
Gorakhpur	...	...	7	...	...	8
Basti	...	...	8	...	...	8
Azamgarh	...	...	5	...	...	7
Jaunpur	...	...	10	...	...	7
Mirzapur	...	...	11	...	...	10
Benares	...	...	4	...	...	5
Gházipur	...	...	9	...	...	10
Kumaun	...	...	5	...	...	10
Garhwál	...	...	15	...	...	17
Tarái	...	...	3	...	...	3
Jhánsi	...	...	8	...	...	8
Jalaun	...	...	6	...	...	8
Lalitpur	...	...	8	...	...	6
Average duration ...	...	...	7	...	...	8

No. 7.

Statement showing the detailed result of appeals to the Sessions Courts during the year 1875.

I.—APPEALS.

District.	Number of appellants	Number of persons.					Remarks.
		Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences reversed or modified.	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending.	
Saháranpur ...	157	18	97	40	...	2	
Muzaffarnagar...	119	3	74	40	...	2	
Dehra Dún ...	16	...	9	5	...	2	
Meerut ...	153	21	85	40	...	7	
Bulandshahr ...	73	8	50	15	...	...	
Aligarh ...	228	72	67	81	4	1	3 Proceedings quashed.
Etah ...	93	26	35	31	...	...	1 Ditto.
Moradabad ...	263	1	169	70	...	23	Applications for revision excluded.
Bijnor ...	119	2	77	36	...	4	Ditto.
Bareilly ...	149	4	116	26	...	3	
Budaun ...	85	3	22	6	...	3	1 Referred to High Court.
Shahjahánpur ...	166	39	102	13	...	12	
Agra ...	122	34	57	30	...	...	1 Ditto for revision.
Muttra ...	132	34	62	32	...	...	4 Ditto ditto.
Farukhabad ...	161	46	75	20	1	6	13 Ditto ditto.
Mainpuri ...	97	12	50	32	...	2	1 Proceedings quashed.
Etáwah ...	127	26	65	32	...	4	
Cawnpore ...	191	50	78	31	8	5	13 Referred to High Court.
Fatehpur ...	72	9	40	16	3	...	4 Ditto ditto.
Bánda ...	93	6	66	19	...	2	
Hamírpur ...	26	9	14	2	...	1	
Allahabad ...	205	54	77	63	2	5	4 Ditto ditto.
Gorakhpur ...	256	62	100	71	13	4	6 Cases referred for revision to High Court.
Basti ...	56	14	25	14	...	1	2 Ditto ditto.
Azamgarh ...	132	29	66	34	...	1	2 Ditto ditto.
Jaunpur ...	155	41	62	22	28	...	2 Ditto ditto.
Mirzapur ...	119	22	89	6	...	2	
Benares ...	269	59	147	44	12	...	7 Ditto ditto.
Ghazipur ...	174	8	132	12	1	6	15 Ditto ditto.
Kumaun ...	119	35	48	28	2	6	
Garhwál ...	28	16	8	...	2	2	
Tarái ...	15	9	4	2	...	...	
Jhánsi ...	39	5	24	10	...	...	
Jalaun ...	59	17	28	13	...	1	
Lalitpur ...	90	18	54	12	1	5	
Total ...	4,308	818	2,274	948	77	112	79

No. 8.

Statement of the detailed results of commitments to Sessions Courts during the year 1875.

II.—COMMITMENTS.

Districts.	Number of persons committed, including those awaiting trial at the end of the last year.	*Persons disposed of.*		Persons remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.	Percentage of persons convicted to total number disposed of.
		Convicted, including those whose sentences were referred for confirmation to the High Court	Acquitted.		
Saháranpur	47	31	13	3	·70
Muzaffarnagar ...	56	26	28	2	·48
Dehra Dún	3(*f*)	2	...	...	100
Meerut	79	54	20	5	·72
Bulandshahr	40	24	14	2	·63
Aligarh	97	55	40	2	·58
Etah	73	44	23	6	·66
Moradabad	72	17	32	23	·34
Bijnor	85	40	33	12	·54
Bareilly	153	110	35	8	·76
Budaun	60	54	6	...	·90
Sháhjahánpur ...	163	136	9	18	·94
Agra	117	87	30	...	·74
Muttra	62	46	13	3	·78
Farukhabad	114(*e*)	90	10	13	·90
Mainpuri	82	47	31	4	·60
Etáwah	103	60	29	14	·69
Cawnpore	177(*e*)	124	32	18	·79
Fatehpur	79	72	7	...	·91
Bánda	143(*g*)	111	18	12	·86
Hamírpur	80(*d*)	71	3	5	·96
Allahabad	104	65	35	4	·65
Gorakhpur	119	80	36	3	·67
Basti	218	134	79	5	·62
Azamgarh	119	62	50	7	·55
Jaunpur	52(*a*)	34	17	...	·67
Mirzapur	89(*b*)	70	14	4	·83
Benares	65	50	15	...	·77
Gházipur	147	132	15	...	·90
Kumaun	14	7	5	2	·58
Garhwál	5	4	1	...	·80
Tarái	2	1	1	...	·50
Jhánsi	25	14	5	6	·74
Jalaun	40(*h*)	29	9	...	·76
Lalitpur	7	3	3	1	·50
Total ...	2,831	1,986	711	182	·72

(*a*) 1 Died.
(*b*) 1 Commitment quashed by High Court.
(*c*) 1 Died.
(*d*) 1 Ditto.
(*e*) 2 Died. 1 Transferred.
(*f*) 1 Ditto.
(*g*) 2 Transferred.
(*h*) 2 Hanged in another case.

No. 9.

Statement showing the amount of business disposed of by the Sessions Judges, during the year 1875.

Names of Sessions Judges and Districts.	Commitments. Number of persons. Committed, including those awaiting trial at the end of last year.	Convicted and sentenced.	Sentenced to death, referred for confirmation.	Acquitted.	Remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.	Appeals. Number of persons. Number of appellants.	Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences modified.	Sentences reversed.	Remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.
Gorakhpur ... C. A. Daniell Esq.	387	205	9	115	8	A219	76	125	35	50	5
Agra ... H. G. Keene ,, ...	87	52	5	27	3	B94	36	32	7	15	...
P. Wigram ,, ...	85	65	5	15	...	C154	32	84	12	25	...
H. M. Chase ,, ...	7	4	2	1	...	6	...	3	...	3	...
Benares ... M. Brodhurst ,, ...	65	49	1	15	...	D269	59	147	22	22	...
Jaunpur ... Ditto ,, ...	E52	30	4	17	...	F155	41	62	12	10	...
Mirzapur ... J. W. Sherer ,, ...	G89	68	2	14	4	119	22	89	...	6	2
Allahabad ... H. Lushington ,, ...	104	56	9	35	4	K205	54	77	21	42	5
Gházipur ... R. F. Saunders ,, ...	147	131	1	15	...	L174	8	122	7	5	6
J. W. Power ,, ...											
Farukhabad ... G. B. Pasley ,, ...	H85	54	13	5	12	I161	46	75	1	19	6
H. A. Harrison ,, ...	29	16	7	5	1						
Bánda ... C. Grant ,, ...	J143	109	2	18	12	93	6	66	16	3	2
Hamírpur ... Ditto ,, ...	M80	68	3	3	5	26	9	14	...	2	1
Cawnpore ... J. H. Prinsep ,, ...	N177	119	5	32	18	O191	56	78	15	15	5
Fatehpur ... Ditto ,, ...	79	64	8	7	...	P72	9	40	5	11	...
Saháranpur ... W. G. Probyn ,, ...	Q106	55	4	41	5	292	21	180	21	64	6
Meerut ... H. Chase ,, ...	79	50	...	15	...	153	8	52	2	12	...
H. W. Dashwood ,, ...		4	...	5	5		18	33	12	14	7
Bulandshahr ... H. W. Dashwood ,, ...	40	1	...	...	2	73	3	7	1	9	...
H. Chase ,, ...		22	1	14			5	43	...	5	...
Azamgarh ... H. M. Chase ,, ...	20	14	...	6	...	47	4	41	...	2	...
E. B. Thornhill ,, ...	83	40	...	43	...	80	24	24	9	23	...
R. F. Saunders ,, ...	16	8	...	1	7	R5	1	1	...	...	1
Aligarh ... G. H. Lawrence ,, ...	81	46	1	34	...	S 198	56	58	38	43	1
H. M. Chase ,, ...	16	8	...	6	2	80	16	9	...		

Etah	...	G. H. Lawrence,	...	...	46	26	...	20	...	T79	21	26	15	16	...	
		H. M. Chase,	...	...	27	17	1	3	6	14	5	9	...	...	...	
Moradabad	...	G. Palmer,	...	...	72	16	1	32	23	U 263	1	169	35	35	23	
Bijnor	...	Ditto,	...	...	85	38	2	33	12	119	2	77	19	17	4	
Mainpuri	...	S. S. Melville,	...	...	82	43	4	31	4	97	12	50	8	24	2	
Etáwah	...	Ditto,	...	...	103	56	4	29	14	127	26	65	17	15	4	
Bareilly	...	G. P. Money,	...	...	153	104	6	35	8	149	4	116	15	11	3	
Budaun	...	Ditto,	...	...	60	53	1	6	...	V35	3	22	5	1	5	
Sháhjahánpur	...	J. Power,	...	...	163	123	13	9	18	166	39	102	5	8	12	
Kumaun Division,		Major-General the Hon'ble Sir H. Ramsay.			21	7	5	7	2	W162	60	60	3	27	8	
Jhánsi	ditto ...	A. R. Pollock, Esq.		...	X63	32	9	13	7	154	30	87	19	12	6	
		H. A. Harrison,	...	...	9	4	1	4	...	Y34	10	19	2	2	...	
		Total		...	2,891	1,857	129	711	182	4,308	818	2,274	379	569	112	

A. { 13 Returned for new trial.
8 Referred to High Court.

B. 4 Ditto ditto.

C. 1 Ditto ditto.

D. { 7 Ditto ditto.
11 Returned for new trial.
1 Sentence quashed.

E. 1 Died.

F. { 2 Referred to High Court.
1 Proceedings quashed.
27 Returned for new trial.

G. 1 Quashed by High Court.

H. 1 Died.

I. { 1 Returned for new trial.
13 Referred to High Court.

K. { 2 Returned for new trial.
4 Referred to High Court.

L. { 1 Returned for new trial.
15 Referred to High Court.

J. 2 Died.

M. 1 Ditto.

N. 3 Ditto.

O. { 8 Returned for new trial.
13 Referred to High Court.

P. { 3 Returned for new trial.
4 Referred to High Court.

Q. 1 Transferred.

R. 2 Referred to High Court.

S. { 4 Returned for new trial.
3 Proceedings quashed.

T. 1 Ditto ditto.

U. Exclusive of applications for revision.

V. 1 Referred to High Court.

W. 4 Remanded.

X. 2 Hanged in another case.

Y. 1 Returned for new trial.

No. 10.

Statement showing degrees of punishment inflicted by the Sessions Judges during the year 1875.

Districts.	PERSONS SENTENCED TO: Death.	Transportation: For life.	Transportation: For a term.	Penal servitude.	Imprisonment, Rigorous: With solitary confinement.	Imprisonment, Rigorous: Without solitary confinement.	Imprisonment: Simple.	Forfeiture of property.	Fine: With imprisonment.	Fine: Without imprisonment.	Whipping: In addition to other punishment.	Whipping: In lieu of other punishment.	Persons ordered to find or give: Surety of the peace.	Recognizance.	Sureties for good behaviour.	DETAIL OF PUNISHMENT. Fines: Rs. 10 and under.	Rs. 50 and under	Rs. 100 and under.	Rs. 500 and under.	Rs. 1,000 and under.	Above Rs. 1,000.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	Imprisonment, Fifteen days: Rigorous.	Fifteen days: Simple.	Six months: Rigorous.	Six months: Simple.	Two years: Rigorous.	Two years: Simple.	Not exceeding seven years: Rigorous.	Not exceeding seven years: Simple.	Above seven years: Rigorous.	Above seven years: Simple.	Whipped: Ten stripes and under.	Twenty stripes and under.	Thirty stripes and under.
																						Rs.	Rs.	Rs.													
Sahâranpur ...	4	8	3	...	...	37	3	...	1	4	...	...	...	...	...	1	4	...	...	...	...	205	155	...	...	...	...	...	5	2	10	...	22	1	...	...	...
Meerut ...	1	17	...	...	...	41	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	2	...	26	...	7	...	...	...	...
Bulandshahr ...	1	5	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	16	...	2	...	...	...	...
Aligarh ...	1	9	...	...	...	29	...	...	...	8	6	2	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	...	1,200	400	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	25	...	2	...	...	6	2
Etah ...	1	4	...	...	...	34	...	...	1	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	500	...	300	...	...	1	...	9	...	18	...	6	...	...	4	...
Moradabad ...	1	3	...	...	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	3	...	5	...	1	...	...	...	...
Bijnor ...	2	4	6	...	...	28	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	300	62	...	...	...	5	...	6	...	16	...	7	...	...	...	...
Barei ly ...	7	11	1	...	...	139	1	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	20	20	...	...	1	4	1	31	1	99	...	4	...	...	1	...
Shâhjahânpur ...	13	15	3	...	2	74	3	...	23	3	...	...	...	...	...	8	11	7	...	...	...	1,275	50	645	...	...	12	2	35	1	43	...	12	...	...	...	...
Agra ...	13	23	5	...	...	89	6	...	9	1	4	...	...	...	...	8	...	2	...	...	...	249	139	...	...	...	5	6	27	...	46	...	11	...	...	1	3

Farukhabad ...	20	9	...	...	9	45	...	...	6	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	250	...	44	...	...	3	...	9	...	45	...	8	...	...	1	...
Mainpuri ...	4	4	12	...	...	27	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	20	...	15	...	...	...	...
Etáwah ...	4	8	7	...	...	33	1	...	4	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	200	150	...	...	1	3	...	10	...	26	...	8	...	...	...	3
Cawnpore ...	5	14	...	...	...	90	...	...	8	...	3	4	...	...	...	...	1	1	6	...	...	505	26	26	...	...	5	...	29	...	57	...	10	...	...	5	9
Fatehpúr ...	8	4	2	...	...	51	1	...	8	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	1	...	...	631	31	11	...	...	13	1	8	...	34	...	3	...	...	...	...
Bánda ...	2	6	...	...	...	103	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	250	275	...	...	...	3	...	5	...	85	...	10	...	...	...	...
Hamírpur ...	3	6	...	...	...	62	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	250	250	...	...	...	2	...	10	...	48	...	2	...	...	...	...
Allahabad ...	8	14	...	...	...	38	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	700	...	...	...	...	14	...	21	...	9	...	1	...	...	...	...
Gorakhpur ...	8	10	7	...	3	155	...	...	26	2	...	4	...	...	...	...	20	3	4	1	...	3,000	1,629	120	...	...	8	...	38	...	183	...	5	...	...	4	...
Azamgarh ...	...	3	3	...	...	59	2	...	4	1	2	2	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	210	64	...	...	...	7	2	5	...	39	...	1	...	2	2	...
Jaunpur ...	4	...	...	...	...	26	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	145	37	32	...	...	...	...	4	...	26	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mirzapur ...	2	5	4	...	...	49	...	...	8	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	3	5	...	...	...	650	17	...	...	...	1	...	11	...	45	...	1	...	...	...	2
Benares ...	1	4	1	...	...	36	...	...	7	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	4	1	1	...	...	399	177	115	...	...	4	...	13	...	24	...	2	...	...	1	...
Gházipur ...	1	4	...	...	...	113	4	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	2	...	...	1,550	1,050	...	...	...	7	3	21	1	82	...	13	...	...	...	...
Jhánsi ...	10	9	16	...	...	35	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	5	...	...	...	...
Kumaun ...	5	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	129	199	70	...	14	1,433	21	...	134	20	19	20	...	...	...	21	64	48	24	2	...	12,989	4,532	1,293	...	2	110	15	307	5	990	...	153	1	2	25	19

No. 11.

Statement showing the particulars of trials held by the Sessions Judges with aid of Assessors during the year 1875.

Name of Districts.	Average number of assessors in each case.	Number of cases tried with assessors.	Number of persons of classes employed as assessors.							Number of cases in which Judge agreed with assessors.	Number of cases in which Judge differed from assessors.	Number of persons fined for non-attendance.	Amount of fine imposed.	Remarks.
			Pleaders.	Bankers or traders.	Engaged in service.	Agriculturists.	Landholders.	Other classes.	Total.					
													Rs.	
Saháranpur ...	3	18	...	23	...	...	28	3	54	17	1	3	2	
Muzaffarnagar ...	3	19	...	22	...	...	33	2	57	17	2	...	...	
Dehra Dún ...	3	2	...	2	...	...	1	3	6	2	...	...	...	
Meerut ...	3	29	1	5	27	1	45	12	91	22	7	...	...	
Bulandshahr ...	3	23	1	14	9	...	37	...	61	17	6	...	...	
Alígarh ...	2	35	1	18	9	...	38	33	99	31	4	...	...	
Etah ...	2	36	...	15	8	...	77	2	102	33	3	2	40	
Moradabad ...	3	21	...	21	1	...	39	...	61	20	1	1	50	
Bijnor ...	3	20	...	7	...	...	53	...	60	17	3	...	...	
Bareilly ...	3	81	...	64	19	...	82	78	243	70	11	1	2	
Budaun ...	3	32	...	19	...	...	77	...	96	32	...	...	...	
Sháhjahánpur ...	3	76	...	34	25	...	163	1	223	76	...	3	8	
Agra ...	3	56	15	133	7	...	6	7	168	45	11	1	5	
Muttra ...	3	27	3	67	2	...	1	7	80	23	4	...	...	
Farukhabad ...	3	55	...	6	7	...	34	118	165	46	9	...	...	
Mainpuri ...	3	29	...	...	...	...	87	...	87	29	...	2	2	
Etáwah ...	3	43	...	51	10	...	66	...	127	39	4	4	17	
Cawnpore ...	3	*75	35	92	9	...	74	...	210	56	14	...	...	
Fatehpur ...	3	33	...	30	3	27	36	...	96	25	8	...	...	
Banda ...	3	64	...	39	73	13	65	2	192	52	12	...	...	
Hamírpur ...	3	42	10	65	26	15	70	...	186	38	4	...	...	
Allahabad ...	3	43	...	33	7	...	70	18	128	34	9	5	35	
Gorakhpur ...	3	45	...	43	...	...	83	9	135	39	6	...	...	
Basti ...	2	57	...	3	...	166	...	...	169	47	10	...	...	
Azamgarh ...	3	57	...	8	...	...	153	...	161	53	4	...	...	
Jaunpur ...	3	18	7	7	5	1	34	...	54	17	1	...	...	
Mirzapur ...	3	36	...	35	10	20	35	8	108	31	5	...	...	
Benares ...	3	38	...	52	18	...	29	13	112	36	2	...	...	
Gházipur ...	3	54	...	31	5	5	105	12	158	53	1	...	...	
Kumaun ...	3	9	4	11	1	2	9	...	27	8	1	...	...	
Garhwál ...	3	4	...	3	2	...	7	...	12	3	1	...	...	
Tarái ...	3	1	...	1	...	...	1	1	3	1	...	...	...	
Jhánsi ...														
Jalaun ...	3	20	7	15	...	...	27	11	60	16	4	3	30	
Lalitpur ...														
Total ...	3	1,198	84	969	283	250	1,665	340	3,591	1,045	148	25	191	

* { 1 Transferred.
1 Died.
3 Verdict not taken.

No 12.

Statement showing the average number of days during which each trial and appeal lasted in Courts of Sessions Judges during the year 1875.

District.	Trial of committed cases.		Appeals.	
	Number of trials disposed of during the year 1875.	Average number of days during which each trial lasted.	Number of appeals disposed of during the year 1875.	Average number of days during which each appeal lasted.
Saháranpur				
Muzaffarnagar	49	47	178	13
Dehra Dún				
Meerut	29	29	100	26
Bulandshahr	23	41	44	20
Aligarh	38	2	146	27
Etah	23	4	80	16
Moradabad	27	59	145	37
Bijnor	32	92	59	37
Barcilly	23	22	146	27
Budaun	23	25	32	22
Sháhjahánpur	77	43	94	23
Agra	56	20	83	11
Muttra	47	21	80	13
Farukhabad	59	23	73	8
Mainpuri	31	24	64	22
Etáwah	48	46	79	35
Cawnpore	75	27	127	18
Fatehpur	33	29	47	16
Bánda	66	60	37	40
Hamírpur	42	78	17	37
Allahabad	54	7	100	9
Gorakhpur	51	23	194	7
Basti	59	41	35	7
Azamgarh	57	30	90	17
Jaunpur	27	35	88	9
Mirzapur	40	20	86	5
Benares	42	22	199	5
Gházipur	66	35	73	15
Kumaun	9	14	82	13
Garhwál	4	28	18	10
Tarái	1	16	12	8
Jhánsi	6	33	28	13
Jalaun	13	45	35	12
Lalitpur	3	92	59	10
Total	1,327	34	2,780	18

No. 13.

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		Number of persons whose cases were disposed of by the High Court.																					
		Old Law.					*New Law.*						*Number of persons whose cases were appealed or called for on perusal of monthly statements.*				*Number of persons whose cases were submitted under Sections 322, 295, and 296, Act X. of 1872.*						
Zila.	Names of Sessions Judges.	Number of persons whose cases were referred to High Court.	Number of persons whose sentences passed agreed with Sessions Judge's recommendation.	Number of persons in which it differed.	Number of persons acquitted by High Court.	Total.	Number of persons sentenced to death referred to High Court for confirmation.	Number of persons in which sentence of death was passed by Sessions Judge and confirmed by High Court.	Number of persons in which it was modified.	Number of persons acquitted by High Court.	Total.	Grand Total.	Number in which order was confirmed.	Number modified or remanded.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Number confirmed.	Number modified.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Percentage of columns 4 and 9 to columns 3 and 8.	Percentage of columns 14 and 18 to totals of columns 17 and 21.	
Gorakhpur ...	C. A. Daniel, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	8	6	...	2	8	8	107	16	6	129	53	6	...	59	·75	·85	
Agra ...	P. Wigram „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	5	1	1	3	5	5	18	2	2	22	10	...	...	10	·20	·87	
	H. Chase „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	·100	...	
	H. G. Keene „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	6	3	2	1	6	6	5	15	6	26	4	6	...	10	·50	·25	
Benares ...	M. Brodhurst „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	...	...	5	5	26	7	1	34	19	13	5	37	·100	·83	
	W. Duthoit „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	·100	
Mirzapur ...	J. B. Ironside „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	
	W. T. Halsey „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	·80	
	J. W. Sherer „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	2	2	11	4	2	17	8	5	8	21	·100	·50	
Allahabad ...	H. Lushington „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	8	5	3	...	8	8	14	2	3	19	14	15	...	29	·62	·58	
Ghâzipur ...	J. W. Power „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	1	13	6	16	35	9	13	1	23	...	·88	
	R. F. Saunders „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2	...	6	3	1	...	4	...	·70	
Farukhabad ...	G. B. Pasley „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	13	7	6	...	13	13	17	14	2	33	11	6	...	17	·54	·58	
	H. A. Harrison „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	7	2	5	...	7	7	...	3	...	3	4	...	...	4	·29	·57	
Bânda ...	C. Grant „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	5	3	2	...	5	5	29	24	12	65	13	1	...	13	·60	·83	

Cawnpore	...	J. H. Prinsep	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	13	8	5	...	13	13	49	18	14	81	14	14	...	28	·61	·58
Sahâranpur	...	W. G. Probyn	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	...	4	4	13	4	2	19	10	...	...	10	·100	·79
Meerut	...	H. W. Dashwood	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	4	12	1	...	13	...	·76
		H. Chase	,,	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	2	2	17	23	5	45	9	1	4	14	·100	·44
Azamgarh	...	H. Chase	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	1	1	13	9	...	4	13	...	·77
		E. B. Thornhill	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	9	2	...	11	1	4	...	5	...	·63
Aligarh	...	H. G. Lawrence	,,	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	10	...	...	10	26	13	...	39	·100	·94
		H. Chase	,,	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	5	·100	...
Moradabad	...	G. Palmer	,,	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	1	...	3	3	11	6	1	18	29	2	2	33	·67	·78
Mainpuri	...	S. S. Melville	,,	...	...	...	...	...	8	8	...	...	8	8	15	8	4	27	7	1	...	8	·100	·64
Bareilly	...	G. P. Money	,,	...	...	...	...	...	7	6	1	...	7	7	53	3	...	56	8	9	12	29	·66	·72
Kumaun	...	Major-General Sir H. Ramsay	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	3	2	...	5	5	3	1	...	4	7	...	...	7	·60	·90
Jhânsi	...	A. R. Pollock, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	10	1	...	11	11	26	8	1	35	7	...	...	7	·91	·79
		Colonel J. Davidson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	5	1	...	...	1	...	·17
		,, A. G. Davidson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	·50
		J. S. Porter, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	·100
		H. A. Harrison	,,	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	1	·100	·50
Shâhjahânpur	...	J. Power	,,	...	...	...	...	...	18	10	2	1	13	13	23	9	1	33	9	...	...	9	·77	·76
		Total	...	...	...	...	...	...	131	92	31	8	131	131	492	186	82	760	297	117	36	450	·70	·78

No. 14.

Statement of business disposed of in the High Court of Judicature at Allahabad, in the year 1875—Original side.

	Cases.			Before.					
	Remaining from the year 1874.	Filed in the year 1875.	Disposed of on merits.	One Civilian Judge.	One Barrister Judge.	One Barrister and one Civilian Judge.	One Barrister and two Civilian Judges.	Otherwise disposed.	Days of sittings.
Criminal trials ...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...	1

No. 15.

Statement showing the nature of the penalties inflicted under the judgment of the High Court.

Penalties.	Appellate jurisdiction.		Original jurisdiction.	
	1875.	1874.	1875.	1874.
Death	92	116	...	...
Transportation for life	33	27	...	...
„ above 7 years and not exceeding 14 years	12	1	...	...
Imprisonment for life	...	...	...	...
„ above 12 years and not exceeding 21 years	...	...	...	...
„ above 5 years and not exceeding 10 years	44	27	...	1
„ not exceeding 5 years ...	135	172	...	...
The average duration of cases in the High Court was 12 days.				

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. II.—(Criminal).

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Description of offences.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
CLASS I.							
Offences against the State, the Public, and Justice.							
Against the State.							
Waging war against the Queen, 121	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Collecting arms or concealing attempt to wage war, 122, 123 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
War or depredation on allied powers, 125 to 127 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Abetment of mutiny, Mutiny Act, 131, 132	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Relating to Coin, Stamps, Weights, and Measures.							
Counterfeiting coin, 231 to 238	18	30	8	18	...	4	
Diminishing or altering coin, 246 to 249	7	8	4	4	...	...	
Passing or possessing bad or altered coin, 239 to 243, and 250 to 254	144	149	45	100	1	3	
Counterfeiting stamps or selling same, 255 to 259	3	3	1	2	...	...	
Using as genuine counterfeit stamps, or effacing or altering same, 260 to 263.	18	27	11	16	...	...	
Making, using, or possessing false weights or measures, 264 to 267 ...	207	263	108	175	...	...	
Against Public Justice.							
Personating public servant or soldier, 140, 170, 171	45	53	13	39	...	1	
Concealing design to commit offence, 118 to 120	3	7	2	4	...	1	
Omitting to give information of offence, or giving false information, 176—177, 181—182, 202—203.	953	1,351	358	976	1	16	
Causing disappearance of evidence, 201 and 204	37	65	21	43	...	1	
Resisting or obstructing or omitting to assist public servant, 183 to 187, 189, 190.	575	1,376	470	898	3	5	
Disobedience of lawful order, causing injury, 188	976	3,476	569	2,900	...	7	
Intentional insult or interruption in judicial proceedings, 228 ...	294	368	8	360	...	...	
Harbouring an offender, 212, 216	36	51	16	33	...	2	
Taking gift to screen offender, 213 to 215	156	231	97	126	...	8	

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CLASS L—*(concluded).*							
Resistance to lawful apprehension and rescue, 224 to 225 ...	191	329	54	269	3	3	
Escape from lawful custody or transportation, 224 to 226 ...	97	96	13	81	2	...	
Absconding from, avoiding, or disobeying summons or notice, or order to attend, or produce, or refusing to answer or sign, 172 to 175 and 178 to 180.	566	1,195	266	919	...	10	
Failure to attend as juror or assessor, C. P., 414	...	...	...	...	...	...	
By Public Servants.							
Taking valuable thing by, or to influence, public servant, 161 to 165,	163	220	99	118	...	3	
Public servant acting illegally to injure any person, 166 to 167 ...	23	29	14	15	...	...	
Ditto unlawful trading, 168 to 169	...	3	...	3	...	...	
Ditto fraudulently defeating punishment or forfeiture, 217 to 218,	19	31	17	14	...	...	
Ditto wilfully making order or decision contrary to law, 219 to 220,	3	4	1	3	...	...	
Ditto intentionally omitting to apprehend, or permitting to escape, 221 to 222.	18	33	4	29	...	...	
Ditto negligently suffering escape, 129, 223	57	77	11	63	...	3	
Breach of Police Act by Police Officers	164	232	30	199	...	3	
False evidence, false complaints or claims, and forgery.							
Giving false evidence, 193 to 196	427	764	224	515	...	25	
Fabricating false evidence, 193 to 196	10	14	3	11	...	...	
Making, issuing, or using false statement or certificate, 197 to 200 ...	3	3	1	2	...	...	
False personation in judicial proceedings. 205, 229	21	30	7	23	...	...	
Fraudulent claim to, or concealment of, property, or suffering of decree, 206 to 208 421 to 424.	31	68	28	39	1	...	
False claim in Court of Justice, 209, 210	25	34	7	27	...	...	
Ditto charge of offence, 211	207	380	136	239	2	3	
Frivolous or vexatious complaint, C. P., 469	338	424	8	411	...	5	
Forgery, or fraudulently using, or possessing, forged document, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 471, 473 to 477	110	196	114	60	...	22	
Making or using false trade-marks, 482 to 489	24	89	11	78	...	...	

Public Nuisances.						
Public nuisances under Penal Code, 269 to 294	803	2,649	323	2,322	1	3
Nuisances under Police or Municipal and Local Acts	4,559	10,880	646	10,172	...	12
Relating to the Public Peace.						
Rioting or unlawful assembly, 143 to 153, 157, 158	409	24,89	558	1,892	7	32
Omitting to inform of, or prevent riot, 154 to 156	20	108	15	92	1	...
Affray, 160	620	2,613	433	2,178	2	...
Offences relating to religion, 295 to 298	50	61	28	32	1	...
CLASS II.						
OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON.						
302—303, MURDER. By thugs	...	...	...	...	...	...
By dacoits	1	3	...	3	...	...
By robbers	19	47	17	25	...	5
By poison — For sake of robbery	4	7	...	3	...	4
By poison — From other motives	16	21	6	12	...	3
Other murders, From motives connected with women ...	47	71	15	43	1	12
Other murders, From other motives	237	519	100	328	7	84
Attempt to murder, 307	50	80	24	48	1	7
Culpable homicide, 304 to 308	274	675	175	423	6	71
Abetment of suicide, 305, 306	2	4	3	1	...	...
Attempt to commit suicide, 309	950	702	163	529	5	5
Causing miscarriage, 312 to 316	38	77	44	23	...	10
Exposure of infant, or concealment of birth, 317, 318	150	146	27	116	...	3
Grievous hurt, 325, 326	1,045	1,694	409	1,246	3	36
Ditto on grave and sudden provocation, 335	53	86	21	65	...	...
Hurt, 323 to 334	17,677	12,674	5,248	7,340	9	77
Ditto by dangerous weapons, 324	200	189	44	138	...	7
Administering stupefying drugs, 328	39	46	19	25	1	1
Causing hurt to extort property or confession, 327, 329 to 333 ...	29	75	32	35	...	8
Act dangerous to life or safety, 336, 337	25	39	7	32	...	...
Wrongful restraint, 341	1,189	907	527	372	...	8
Ditto confinement, 342 to 346	872	301	205	94	...	2
Ditto to extort property or confession, 347, 348	23	33	7	15	...	11
Assault or use of criminal force, 352, 355, 358	7,339	9,833	5,171	4,614	1	47
Criminal force to deter a public servant, 353	27	60	16	42	...	2
Assault or use of criminal force to a woman, 354	42	36	10	26	...	...
Criminal intimidation or insult, 504 to 509	522	593	308	279	...	6
Causing annoyance in state of intoxication, 510	34	45	5	40	...	...
Unlawful compulsion of labour, 374	25	31	17	14	...	...
Buying or disposing of any person as a slave, 370, 371	5	6	4	2	...	...
Kidnapping or abduction; 363 to 365, 367 to 369	173	352	124	191	13	24
Abducting a woman to compel marriage or for defilement, 366 ...	25	63	32	27	1	3
Causing death by rash or negligent act	3	5	2	3	...	...

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CLASS II.—(*concluded*).							
Selling, letting, or unlawfully obtaining a woman for purposes of prostitution, 372, 373.	27	62	31	29	...	2	
Enticing a married woman with criminal intent, 498	1,922	1,542	1,068	444	2	28	
Fraudulent and unlawful marriages, 493 to 496	45	75	65	10	...	...	
Adultery, 497	75	85	46	30	...	9	
Rape, 376	273	233	138	77	...	18	
Unnatural offences, 377	97	102	36	54	2	10	
Defamation, 500 to 502	177	203	130	69	...	4	
CLASS III.							
OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY WITH VIOLENCE.							
Dacoity, 395, 397, 398	41	380	93	260	7	20	
Ditto, 396	2	52	2	15	5	...	
Preparation or assembly for dacoity, 399 to 402	3	12	...	12	...	...	
Robbery with hurt or deadly weapon. — By poison or stupefying drugs, 394, 397, 398,	23	16	3	12	...	1	
Robbery with hurt or deadly weapon. — By other means, 394, 397, 398,	87	84	9	71	...	4	
Robbery ... — In a dwelling house, 392, 393 ...	26	36	16	20	...	...	
Robbery ... — On the highway, 392, 393 ...	82	103	37	66	...	...	
Robbery ... — Elsewhere, 392, 393 ...	210	248	87	155	2	4	
Extortion, 384, 389	793	341	221	107	7	6	
House-breaking or house-trespass in order to commit theft, 451, 454, 457.	27,379	4,059	801	3,169	22	67	
House-breaking or house-trespass in order to commit an offence other than theft, 449, 450, 451, 454, 457.	1,765	368	74	293	...	1	
House-breaking or house-trespass with preparation for, or attempt at hurt, 452, 455, 458, 460.	83	55	5	41	1	8	
House-breaking or lurking house-trespass, 453, 455, 458 ...	2,377	136	31	101		4	

Without violence.						
Theft of cattle, } 379, 380, 381	3,668	2,081	539	1,528	3	11
Theft, ordinary, }	32,047	15,783	3,350	12,303	29	101
Theft after preparation for causing death, 382	3	4	2	1	...	1
Dishonestly receiving stolen property, 411 to 414	4,574	7,000	1,617	5,216	45	122
Dishonest misappropriation of property, 403, 404	643	644	243	409	...	2
Criminal breach of trust, 406 to 409	837	720	336	366	7	11
Cheating, 417 to 420	902	761	422	317	6	16
Dishonest execution of deed of transfer, 423	1	1	...	1	...	...
Malicious offences.						
Mischief, ordinary, 426, 427, 430 to 433	6,896	5,491	3,084	2,364	...	43
Ditto by poisoning or killing cattle, 428, 429	305	317	149	156	...	12
Ditto by destroying land-marks, 434	21	33	13	13	...	7
Serious mischief by fire, 435, 436 to 438	339	122	91	29	1	1
Criminal trespass or house-trespass, 447, 448	3,863	3,865	2,029	1,804	2	30
Breaking closed receptacle, 461, 462	12	6	...	6	...	...
CLASS IV.						
NOT INCLUDED IN THE ABOVE CLASSES.						
Belonging to a gang of thugs, 311	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto ditto dacoits, 400	5	22	18	...	...	4
Ditto ditto thieves, 401	4	18	...	16	...	2
Vagrancy without ostensible means of livelihood, C. P. C., 504	307	677	225	419	11	22
Bad habit and repute, C. P. C., 505, 506	737	1,333	372	933	6	22
Criminal breaches or contracts of service, 490 to 492	31	35	11	24	...	...
Attempt to commit offences, 511	3,170	213	55	157	...	1
Abetment, 511	20	56	12	42	...	2
BREACHES OF SPECIAL LAWS FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE REVENUE, OR ON OTHER SUBJECTS, THE ACTS BEING SPECIFIED.						
Breaches of laws relating—						
To excise on spirits and drugs, Act XXI., 1856	1,078	1,496	283	1,195	1	17
,, ditto, Opium	208	181	50	130	...	1
,, Salt and saltpetre, Act XXXI. of 1851, Act XIV. of 1843	583	799	55	740	...	4
,, Sea and Land Customs, Act XVII. of 1861	177	302	11	291	...	...
,, Stamp Act, XVII. of 1869	105	192	40	152	...	...
,, Paper Currency Act, XIX. of 1861, and Act I. of 1862	...	...	...	...	...	...
,, Mint Act, XIII. of 1866	...	...	...	...	...	...
,, Post-office Act, XIV. of 1866	42	52	15	36	...	1
,, Electric Telegraph Act, VIII. of 1860	9	11	1	10	...	...
,, Payment of watchmen, Act XX. of 1856	25	34	4	30	...	...

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CLASS IV.—(*concluded*).							
To Municipalities, Act VI. of 1868	6,022	10,412	1,251	9,157	1	3	
„ Jails, Act VIII. of 1863	34	40	5	35	...	...	
„ Forests, Act VII. of 1865	1	5	1	4	...	...	
„ Ferries, Regulation VI. of 1819	3	6	4	2	...	...	
„ Canals, Act VII. of 1845	2,575	6,233	1,321	4,911	1	...	
„ Railways, Acts XVIII. of 1854 and (52) LII. of 1860 ...	436	588	124	464	...	...	
„ Tolls, Act VIII. of 1851	1	1	...	1	...	...	
„ Stage Coaches, XVI. of 1861	18	21	6	15	...	...	
„ The Press, Act XXV. of 1867	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ Gaming and Lotteries, Act III. of 1867	237	1,189	155	1,034	...	...	
„ Wandering and dangerous lunatics	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ Cattle-trespass, Act III. of 1857	801	1,250	408	839	...	3	
„ Possession of arms, Act XXXI. of 1860	286	336	100	233	...	3	
„ Foreigners, Act III. of 1864	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ Emigration, Act XIII. of 1864	4	6	...	6	...	...	
„ Criminal tribes	35	108	34	73	..	1	
Contempt of Court, C. P. C., 435 and 436	15	16	...	16	...	...	
Purchase of Government property and that of soldiers	3	9	...	9	...	...	
Paraos and sarais	3	12	...	12	...	...	
Proceeding to compel payment of penalty by accused, C. P. C., 396,	31	46	6	40	...	...	
Ditto by sureties, 397 ditto	14	18	1	17	...	...	
Personal recognizance to keep the peace, 489, 490, ditto ...	713	2,133	367	1,759	...	7	
Security to ditto, 490, 491, ditto	551	2,054	313	1,700	...	41	
Default to enter into bond, forfeiture of recognizance, 497 ditto ...	1	1	...	1	...	...	
Breach of the peace, 530 and 491 ditto	214	671	133	536	...	2	
Maintenance to wife and children, 536 ditto	282	175	94	80	...	1	
Proceeding connected with disputed land or water, 530 ...	75	122	65	56	...	1	
Security for good behaviour, 505 ditto	738	1,391	358	1,002	3	28	
Breach of Pound Act, I. of 1871	83	88	18	70	...	...	
Restoration of forfeited property, C. P. C., 173	1	1	1	...	...	...	

Breach of Sections 92 and 94, Act X. of 1872	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Penalty for non-appearance of party under bail, 398, Act X. of 1872,	10	13	1	12	...	...	
Lock Hospital Rules, Act XXIII of 1868	121	153	2	151	...	...	
License Tax	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Breach of Act V. of 1861	1,122	2,165	107	2,058	...	...	
Infringement of rules sanctioned by Government, Act XXII. of 1864,	624	1,189	138	1,051	...	...	
Infanticide Act, VIII. of 1870	463	879	177	698	...		4
Breach of laws relating to Pleaders	3	3	1	2	...	...	
Eunuchs, Act XXVII. of 1875	8	16	2	14	...	...	
Breach of contract by workmen	11	10	8	2	...		2
Escape from custody	...	2	1	1	...	...	
Obstruction dangerous to human life, 518, C. P. C.	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Forcibly opposing the seizure of cattle, Act X. of 1871 ...	38	75	26	49	...	...	
Breach of duties of village and road policeman, Act XVI. of 1873,	469	629	117	511	...		1
Neglect of duty, Act XX. of 1856	15	17	1	15	...		1
Refusing to deliver up uniform, 28, Act V. of 1861	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Breach of Registration Act	6	18	11	7	...	...	
Total ...	154,578	142,521	38,839	103,120	237	1,325	

NOTE.—Persons convicted and remaining under trial do not correspond with general statement No. 1, because some districts have included the committed persons in the column of convicted, while others have excluded them from this column and included them with persons whose cases were remaining under trial.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. III.—(CRIMINAL).

Statement showing the general result of criminal trials in the tribunals of various classes in the districts of the North-Western Provinces in the year 1875.

Class of tribunal.	Number of persons dealt with.							Persons disposed of.					Remaining at end of year.	Average number of days during which each case lasted.	Number of witnesses who attended.	Remarks.
	Remaining at end of last year.	Brought to trial during present year.				Received by transfer.	Total.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped, or transferred.				
		Under arrest by Police.	Upon warrant.	On summons.	Voluntarily.											
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.	16.	17
Village Officers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Unpaid Magistrates	32	5,024	204	8,696	359	...	14,315	2,526	1,624	10,088	35	6	36	5	19,513	
Local and subordinate paid Magistrates ...	187	18,279	1,212	32,203	2,292	82	54,255	8,851	5,490	39,015	628	54	217	7	108,906	
Full power Magistrates exercising throughout the district.	902	34,835	3,268	25,628	2,606	519	67,758	10,051	8,783	46,020	2,034	128	742	8	159,876	
Chief Magistrates of districts ...	110	3,329	510	2,152	351	147	6,599	703	734	4,699	380	47	36	7	12,810	
Total Magistracy ...	1,231	61,467	5,194	68,679	5,608	748	142,927	22,131	16,631	99,822	3,077	235	1,031	7	301,105	
Sessions Court	331	2,103	217	40	18	187	2,896	35	677	1,901	92	9	182	35	12,715	
High Court	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	11	
GRAND TOTAL, ...	1,562	63,570	5,412	68,719	5,626	935	145,924	22,166	17,308	101,724	3,169	244	1,213	14	313,831	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. IV.—(CRIMINAL).

Statement showing the punishments inflicted by various criminal tribunals in the districts of the North-Western Provinces in the year 1875.

Class of Tribunal.	PERSONS SENTENCED TO												PERSONS ORDERED TO FIND OR GIVE		
	Death.	TRANSPORTATION.		Penal servitude.	IMPRISONMENT.			Forfeiture of property.	FINE.		WHIPPING.		Security of the peace.	Recognizance.	Sureties for good behaviour.
		For life.	For a term.		*Rigorous.*		Simple.		With imprisonment.	Without imprisonment.	In addition to other punishment.	In lieu of other punishment.			
					With solitary confinement.	Without solitary confinement.									
By village Officers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
By unpaid Magistrates	...	...	...	...	1	666	46	...	136	9,014	12	157	7	9	71
By subordinate local paid Magistrates	...	...	...	...	10	5,948	345	2	1,423	27,096	158	1,287	17	83	87
By full power Magistrates of general jurisdiction	...	...	...	...	137	14,770	818	...	1,838	21,228	666	4,199	1,043	2,671	1,865
By Chief Magistrates of districts	...	...	1	...	15	1,227	65	...	205	1,923	57	416	91	352	378
By Sessions Courts	...	129	199	70	...	14	1,433	21	...	134	20	19	20	...	...	...
By High Court	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	...	129	199	71	...	177	24,045	1,295	2	3,736	59,281	923	6,079	1,158	3,115	2,351

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. IV.—(CRIMINAL)—(*concluded*).

Statement showing the punishments inflicted by various criminal tribunals in the districts of the North-Western Provinces in the year **1875.**

Class of Tribunal.	DETAIL OF PUNISHMENTS.																						
	FINE.									IMPRISONMENT.											WHIPPED.		
										15 *days.*		6 *months.*		2 *years.*		7 *years.*		*Above* 7 *years.*				
	Rs. 10 and under.	Rs. 50 and under.	Rs. 100 and under.	Rs. 500 and under.	Rs. 1,000 and under.	Above Rs 1,000.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	10 stripes and under.	20 stripes and under.	30 stripes and under.
							Rs.	Rs.	Rs													
By village Officers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
By unpaid Magistrates	8,868	272	7	2	...	...	18,740	17,557	1,276	270	49	493	15	32	...	...	...	...	...	55	88	26
By subordinate local paid Magistrates,	27,135	1,355	33	11	...	...	1,00,758	87,365	5,059	2,661	243	4,639	143	149	...	...	...	...	...	638	587	194
By full power Magistrates of general jurisdiction.	19,013	3,600	353	106	6	...	2,22,473	1,68,894	10,12.	1,025	361	9,167	568	6,583	17	58	...	...	...	1,146	2,082	1,374
By Chief Magistrates of districts ...	1,730	286	88	26	2	...	28,310	18,233	1,625	118	33	626	41	667	4	42	...	...	...	123	204	143
By Sessions Courts	21	64	43	24	2	...	12,989	4,532	1,293	...	2	110	15	307	5	990	...	153	1	2	25	12
By High Court	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	56,767	5,577	524	169	10	...	3,83,270	2,96,581	19,379	4,075	688	15,034	802	7,739	26	1,090	...	153	1	1,964	2,986	1,749

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. V.—(CRIMINAL).

Statement showing the result of appeals and revisions in criminal cases in the districts of the North-Western Provinces during the year 1875.

Tribunal.		Number of appellants or persons applying for revision under Section 297, C. C. P.	Number of persons. Appeals or applications rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences modified.	Sentences reversed.	Proceedings quashed.	Further enquiry or evidence ordered.	Cases referred for revision to High Court.	Pending.	Remarks.
To Magistrates of districts.	Appeals from unpaid Magistrates,	448	20	274	28	118	...	4	1	3	
	Appeals from paid Magistrates...	2,705	411	1,415	294	487	3	30	41	24	
To Sessions Courts.	Appeals from unpaid Magistrates,	17	6	6	1	1	...	...	...	3	
	Appeals from paid Magistrates...	4,559	906	2,366	388	594	10	80	92	123	
High Court		980	172	469	177	81	33	17	...	31	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. XI.

Statement showing use of Juries and Assessors in the Civil and Criminal Courts of the North-Western Provinces in the year 1875.

Classes of Courts in which Jurors or Assessors are employed, distinguishing Criminal from Civil Courts.	Established or average number of Jury or Assessors in each case, and prescribed qualification.	Number of cases tried by Jury.	Number of cases with Assessors.	Jury trials. Cases in which the Judge approved of the verdict.	Jury trials. Cases in which the Judge did not approve of the verdict.	Assessors' trials. Number of cases in which Judge agreed with Assessors.	Assessors' trials. Number of cases in which Judges differed from Assessors.	Note.—Showing in what classes of cases Juries and Assessors have been principally employed.	Remarks.
Sessions Judges' Courts, North-Western Provinces ...	Assessors 3 / Jurors 7	1	1,198*	1	...	1,045	148	...	* In 5 cases the assessors were not consulted.
High Court, North-Western Provinces	Jurors 9	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	

GOVERNMENT N.W.P.

NOTE ON THE CRIMINAL STATEMENTS FOR 1876.

THE number of offences reported and prosecuted in the year 1876 showed a considerable increase over the figures for the year 1875. As remarked last year, this increase has been progressive in the last six years.

2. One lakh fifty-eight thousand six hundred and twenty-three offences were reported during the year, 76,937 were prosecuted, and 139,863 persons were under trial. Of these persons 39,682 were acquitted or discharged, 98,722 were convicted or committed for trial.

Inasmuch as the increase in the number of offences reported, as shown hereinafter, is chiefly observable in the offences of hurt, assault, and criminal trespass, which more frequently form the subject of frivolous or groundless complaints than do graver offences, these figures would not appear to show, as far as the police are concerned, that offences were not as vigorously enquired into and prosecuted in 1876 as in 1875, but that more frivolous or groundless complaints and reports were made in the year under review than in 1875. They do appear to show, however, that either a number of persons were unnecessarily brought to trial by the criminal authorities, or were improperly acquitted or discharged by them after being brought to trial.

One thousand one hundred and twenty persons were awaiting trial at the close of the year.

3. The corresponding numbers in 1873, 1874, and 1875, are shown with those of 1876 in the marginal table.

Years.	Reported.	Prosecuted.	Under trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted, committed.	Undisposed of.
1873 ...	138,895	70,752	128,208	26,254	90,337	1,218
1874 ...	148,176	74,048	134,159	37,037	96,673	1,240
1875 ...	154,578	76,519	142,521	38,639	102,394	1,035
1876 ...	158,623	76,937	139,863	39,682	98,722	1,126

4. The increase in the number of offences reported was in the districts of Muzaffarnagar, Dehra Dún, Moradabad, Bijnor, Sháhjahánpur, Agra, Muttra, Mainpuri, Gorakhpur, Basti, Azamgarh, Jaunpur, Mirzapur, Kumaun, Garhwál, and in the Tarái. Putting aside breaches of municipal and canal laws, as being offences of slight importance, the increase was chiefly observable in the offences of hurt, assault, and criminal trespass.

5. The state of the pending files in the criminal courts at the close of the year increased from 1,035 to 1,126. The heaviest pending file (108) was in the district of Bulandshahr, and the next heaviest (86) is found in Allahabad. The increase in Allahabad is owing to 56 persons being implicated in two cases under section 147 of the Penal Code. Most of the other districts show creditable results in this respect.

6. Of the persons committed to the sessions for trial ·72 per cent. were convicted.

Committals were most successful in the districts shown in the margin. They were least successful in the districts of Garhwál (·12), Lalitpur (·40), Kumaun (·62), Gorakhpur (·64), and Cawnpore (·65).

Azamgarh	... 100	Muttra	... 84
Tarai	... 100	Farukhabad	... ·83
Jalaun	... 100	Jhánsi	... ·83
Gházipur	... ·97	Muzaffarnagar,	·82
Etah	... ·92	Mirzapur	... ·81
Budaun	... ·90	Saháranpur	... ·80
Bareilly	... ·86	Dehra Dún	...

7. The number of culpable homicides amounting to murder, culpable homicides not amounting to murder, grievous hurts, and hurts reported annually during the last six years is shown in the annexed table :—

	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.
Murder	322	321	354	349	324	288
Culpable homicide	263	293	285	298	274	233
Grievous hurt	1,073	1,069	1,199	1,186	1,045	1,247
Hurt	8,858	8,725	11,695	14 618	17,077	22,480

8. Offences against property are exhibited in the following statement :—

	1871.	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.
Theft	22,541	31,139	35,381	30,898	32,047	30,6[illegible]8
Robbery	404	391	470	435	378	308
Dakaiti	80	83	118	131	41	64
House-breaking for theft ...	20,238	19,771	23,433	22,941	27,379	26,360

The proportion in these Provinces of prosecutions for the offences of theft, and house-breaking to commit theft to the number reported, shows an improvement is still desirable in the protection afforded to property.

9. Three hundred and seventy-six cases of infanticide were reported as having occurred in 1876 as against 436 in the previous year, 2,468 offences against the revenue laws, and 6,833 under the Municipalities' Act were brought before the courts in the year.

Three thousand three hundred and eighty-one attempts to commit offences were recorded.

10. Four thousand and three hundred persons were dealt with under the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure for keeping the peace ; 1,779 persons were required to find security for good behaviour ; 259 persons were reported as vagrants, having no visible means of livelihood.

11. The second general statement shows the working of the courts of the magistrates in the Provinces in the year under review.

One thousand and thirty-five persons were awaiting trial from the previous year, 60,966 persons were arrested, and 77,369 were summoned before the magistrates—making in all, with 891 transferred for trial from other parts of India, a total of 140,291 persons for disposal, against a total of 142,927 persons in the previous year.

12. These persons were disposed of as follows :—

Discharged without trial	21,441
Acquitted	18,223
Convicted, including committed	99,098
Died, escaped, or transferred	403
Awaiting trial at the end of the year	1,126

Of the latter, 598 were in custody and 528 on bail or recognizance at the end of the year.

13. The results of the year under review and of the three previous years are shown as follows :—

	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.
Discharged	19,210	19,592	22,131	21,441
Acquitted	17,041	17,400	16,611	18 223
Convicted, including committed	90,337	96,090	102,899	99,098
Died, escaped, or transferred	405	417	235	403

14. The percentage of persons discharged without trial in the year 1876 is the same as in the two previous years—*viz.*, ·15.

An excessive number of persons were discharged without trial in the following districts :—

	Average number discharged without trial.
Benares	·34
Muzaffarnagar	·31
Mirzapur	·26
Agra	·25

The excessive number of persons discharged without trial in some of the districts does not speak well for the magistrates who summoned them, as it exhibits an apparent want of discretion in issuing processes. These magistrates have been warned to be more careful in issuing processes.

15. The proportion of persons acquitted to those disposed of was ·14 as compared with ·12 in the previous year. It is noticeable that, notwithstanding a decrease in the number of persons under trial, the number of those acquitted increased.

16. The Court, however, has no reason to be dissatisfied with the general result of the despatch of criminal business in the past year.

17. One hundred and forty-three cases were pending at the end of the year which had lasted more than six weeks: 56 were in Aligarh, 22 in Etáwah, 18 in Bulandshahr, 10 in Bánda and Hamírpur, respectively, 6 in Mirzapur and Bijnor, respectively, 5 in Jaunpur, 3 in Gházipur, and 1 in Farukhabad, Mainpuri, Cawnpore, and Garhwál, respectively.

18. The third general statement exhibits the punishments imposed by the magistrates during the year.

They were as follows :—

Fined	58,754
Imprisoned	22,396
Flogged	5,261
Ordered to find security for good behaviour	1,779
Ditto to keep the peace	1,256
Ditto to enter into recognizances	3,044
Imprisoned and fined	3,605
Imprisoned and flogged	617
Fined and flogged	3
Grand Total	96,635

The total of the previous year amounted to 100,520.

19. The entire amount of fines imposed during the year was Rs. 3,69,415, of which Rs. 2,87,457, or ·78, were realized, and Rs. 19,180 were paid in compensation to injured parties.

Judging from the small amount of fines realized in the districts of Aligarh, Bareilly, Bijnor, and Sháhjahánpur, the Court fears that unreasonably large fines were imposed, or that proper steps to realize the fines were not taken in those districts.

20. Of the persons fined 56,251 were sentenced to fines not exceeding Rs. 10, 5,479 were fined sums not exceeding Rs. 50, 442 persons were sentenced to fines not less than Rs. 50 and not exceeding Rs. 100, and 184 persons were fined in sums ranging from Rs. 100 to Rs. 500.

21. Twenty-four thousand nine hundred and thirty-two persons were sentenced to rigorous and 1,438 persons to simple imprisonment during the year. The various terms of imprisonment thus inflicted were as follows :—

Imprisonment not exceeding 15 days, 3,776 rigorous and 634 simple; not exceeding six months, 14,457 rigorous and 776 simple; not exceeding two years, 6,587 rigorous and 28 simple; and in excess of two years, 112 rigorous and none simple.

22. One thousand one hundred and seventeen juveniles and 4,164 adults were flogged; the average number of stripes inflicted being 18, and the largest number being 30.

23. One thousand three hundred and eighty-four persons, being ·45 of those called on to find security to be of good behaviour and to keep the peace, were imprisoned.

As the Court has before observed, this provision of the law may be used harshly and oppressively. Great diversity of practice prevails, as the Judge of Farukhabad remarks, in different districts, and even in the same district under different magistrates. The Court has reason to fear that the security required is in many cases fixed at an amount which it is quite unreasonable to expect the party ordered to find security to produce.

24. The statistics of punishment inflicted during the last five years are summarized in the annexed tabular statement:—

Year.	Fined.	Imprisoned.	Flogged.	Security for good behaviour.	Security to keep the peace.	Recognizance to keep the peace.	Imprisoned and fined.	Imprisoned and flogged.	Fined and flogged.	Total.
1872 ...	43,869	18 837	4,652	1,268	2,174	1,810	2,809	582	13	75,999
1873 ...	48,088	22,719	6,550	1,683	1,927	2,276	3,114	784	21	87,414
1874 ...	49,844	24,672	7,418	2,202	1,493	2,600	3,654	935	7	92,814
1875 ...	59,261	24,048	6,092	2,351	1,158	3,115	3,602	886	7	100,520
1876 ...	58,754	22,296	5,281	1,779	1,256	3,044	3,605	617	3	96,635

25. The next (fourth) statement shows the number of witnesses who attended the magisterial courts, and the period of their detention there; 318,668 witnesses were examined in the year, of whom 302,761 were dismissed by the courts on the first day; of the rest 15,173 were detained between 1 and 3 days; 723 were detained above 3 and less than 7 days, and 11 above 7 days. Of these last the magistrate of Basti was answerable for the detention of 9, the Bulandshahr and Muzaffarnagar courts for 1 each.

26. The average duration of cases in the magisterial courts in the year was 7 days as compared with 8 days in the previous year.

The best results were attained in Dehra Dún, where it was 2 days; in the Tarái, where it was 3 days; in Meerut, Budaun, Bánda, Hamírpur, and Jaunpur, where it was 4 days; and in Sháhjahánpur, Allahabad, and Jhánsi, where it was 5 days. The duration was high in Garhwál (20 days), but, as remarked in previous years, the circumstances of this district are peculiar; in Mirzapur (12 days); Azamgarh (10 days); Aligarh, Moradabad, Bijnor, Fatehpur, and Gorakhpur (9 days); and in Muzaffarnagar, Bulandshahr, Farukhabad, Basti, Gházipur, and Jalaun (8 days).

The excessive duration of cases in Gorakhpur is attributed by the magistrate to the district being deprived of the services of one full power magistate for six months.

27. The fifth statement shows the results of appeals from subordinate magistrates to the magistrates of districts; 3,085 appeals were preferred, of which 363 were rejected, 1,486 were dismissed, 1,089 were wholly or partially successful, and 48 remained undecided at the end of the year.

The percentage of successful appeals to the entire number disposed of was ·33 in 1876 as compared with 30 in 1875.

28. The seventh statement shows the results of appeals to the sessions courts in the Provinces.

our thousand one hundred and thirty-one persons appealed, being 177 less than in the previous year; 813 appeals were summarily rejected, 2,045 were dismissed, 951 succeeded, and 22 resulted in remands, while 184 remained pending at the close of the year. The percentage of successful appeals in the sessions courts was ·22 in 1876 as compared with ·23 in the previous year. The largest number of appeals was made to the sessions courts of Moradabad (265), Benares (261), Aligarh (240), Allahabad (234), Gorakhpur (220), and Meerut (197).

The smallest number of appeals was in the Tarái (7), Dehra Dún (20), Hamírpur and Jhánsi (31), and Jaláun (33).

29. The eighth statement shows the details of cases committed to the sessions courts during the year 1876; 2,605 persons were sent for trial to the sessions courts in the year. This total was 286 less than in 1875.

The sessions courts disposed of 2,423 of these commitments, convicting 1,801 persons, or ·72 per cent., as compared with ·74 in 1875.

30. One hundred and seventy-two persons were awaiting trial at the end of the year.

31. The largest number of commitments was made in the districts of Sháhjahánpur (184), Cawnpore (172), Bareilly (159), Agra and Allahabad (130) respectively, and Gorakhpur (128).

The fewest commitments were in the districts of Saháranpur (40), Muzaffarnagar (37), Bíjnor (36), Kamaun (32), Dehra Dún (16), Jhánsi and Jalaun (12), Garhwál (9), Lalitpur (6), and the Tarái (2).

32. The percentage of persons convicted to the number disposed of was highest in the districts of—

Tarái and Jalaun	·100
Azamgarh	·98
Gházipur	·97
Dehra Dún	·96
Budaun	·90
Bareilly	·88
Jhánsi	·83
Saháranpur, Mirzapur	·82
Aligarh, Etah, Sháhjahánpur	·80

The worst results were found in the following districts:—

Bijnor	·48
Benares	·47
Lalitpur	·40
Garhwál	·12

33. The heaviest pending files at the end of the year were in the courts of the judges of Bareilly, Mainpuri, and Moradabad.

34. One thousand eight hundred and nine persons were punished by the sessions judges in 1876, of whom 114 were sentenced to death, 174 to transportation for life, 64 to transportation for a term of years, 1,275 to rigorous imprisonment, 16 to simple imprisonment, 132 to fine with imprisonment, 11 to fine without imprisonment, 4 to whipping in addition to other punishments, and 16 to whipping in lieu of other punishments.

35. The fines imposed by the sessions judges during the year aggregated Rs. 19,369, of which Rs. 7,820 were realized. Sentences of solitary confinement in

addition to imprisonment, were passed on 26 persons—*viz.*, 17 by the judge of Gorakhpur, 6 by the judge of Agra, and 3 by the judge of Farukhabad.

36. One thousand one hundred and sixty-seven cases were tried with the aid of assessors during the year. The judges agreed with the assessors in 1,013 and differed from them in 154 cases. As in previous years, the great majority of the assessors were drawn from the landholding, banking, and trading classes.

37. The cases of one hundred and twelve persons sentenced by the sessions judges to death came before the High Court for confirmation; 90 of these sentences were confirmed by the High Court, 16 were modified, and six annulled. The cases of 708 persons came before the High Court in appeal or revision; the Court modified the order or remanded the case in 165 instances, and annulled the sentence in 84. The cases of 399 persons came before the Court under section 322, 295, and 296 of Act X. of 1872; the Court confirmed the sentence in 229 instances, modified it in 142, and annulled it in 28.

38. The High Court, in the exercise of original criminal jurisdiction, disposed of three cases during the year.

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, N.-W. P.,
Allahabad, the 27th August, 1877.

G. T. SPANKIE,
Offg. Registrar.

APPENDIX.

No. 1.

General statement showing the number of offences reported and prosecuted, as well as the number of persons under trial, and those whose cases were disposed of during the year 1876 in the Magisterial Courts, North-Western Provinces.

District.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of offences prosecuted.	Number of persons under trial.	Number of persons whose cases were disposed of.		Number of persons whose cases were left undisposed at the close of the year.	Percentage of persons convicted and committed to those whose cases were disposed of.
				Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted, including committed.		
Saháranpur	3,160	2,137	4,114	738	3,324	42	·81
Muzaffrnagar ...	5,021	3,028	5,047	2,146	2,838	60	·56
Dehra Dún	1,150	1,146	1,654	450	1,187	7	·73
Meerut	4,068	3,279	6,476	1,598	4,816	58	·75
Bulandshahr	2,963	1,959	3,960	1,178	2,663	108	·69
Aligarh	4,333	2,481	4,803	1,593	3,147	59	·66
Etah	2,925	1,321	2,354	601	1,699	48	·74
Moradabad	10,133	3,834	6,776	1,954	4,795	21	·71
Bijnor	4,617	1,566	3,151	758	2,335	49	·75
Bareilly	6,676	2,525	4,387	1,293	3,058	32	·70
Budaun	7,621	2,653	4,269	980	3,285	21	·77
Sháhjahánpur ...	8,260	3,001	5,081	1,447	3,575	42	·71
Agra	6,428	4,107	7,692	3,177	4,457	40	·58
Muttra	2,485	1,571	3,036	819	2,210	3	·73
Farukhabad	3,900	2,548	4,645	1,279	3,361	52	·73
Mainpuri	2,882	1,720	4,213	1,356	2,807	34	·67
Etáwah	3,930	2,103	3,495	727	2,654	41	·76
Cawnpore	5,436	3,499	6,492	1,288	5,179	12	·80
Fatehpur	2,507	1,612	2,936	901	2,022	10	·69
Bánda	2,895	1,715	3,597	1,041	2,520	33	·70
Hamírpur	2,774	1,144	1,929	505	1,406	9	·57
Allahabad	9,925	5,602	9,928	1,955	7,886	86	·80
Gorakhpur	14,821	4,109	7,081	1,739	5,319	21	·75
Basti	5,145	1,725	3,155	698	2,409	35	·77
Azamgarh	9,491	2,068	3,746	1,083	2,591	63	·70
Jaunpur	6,216	2,221	3,624	1,182	2,476	13	·68
Mirzapur	4,038	2,344	4,342	1,627	2,656	54	·62
Benares	5,561	3,530	6,548	2,840	3,686	22	·56
Gházipur	4,160	2,133	4,103	1,139	2,937	23	·72
Kumaun	1,169	942	1,494	205	1,280	4	·86
Garhwál	793	213	425	127	294	4	·69
Tarái	307	195	376	68	305	...	·81
Jhánsi	2,276	1,372	2,265	525	1,702	3	·76
Jalaun	1,089	964	1,701	540	1,087	13	·67
Lalitpur	868	622	966	172	756	4	·81
Total of 1876 ...	153,623	76,937	139,863	39,682	98,722	1,126	·72
Total of 1875 ...	154,578	76,519	142,521	38,639	102,394	1,035	·72
District average of 1876,	4,532	2,198	3,996	1,134	2,821	32	·72
District average of 1875,	4,417	2,186	4,072	1,110	2,926	30	·72

Persons whose cases were transferred for trial in other districts, or who died or escaped from custody, are not shown in this table. Their number is shown in table No. 2.

No. 2.

Statement showing the general results of criminal trials before the various Magisterial authorities in the districts of the North-Western Provinces during the year 1876.

District.	Number of persons dealt with.					Persons disposed of.				Remaining at the end of the year.					
	Remaining at end of last year.	Brought to trial during the year. By arrest.	Brought to trial during the year. By summons or recognizance.	Received by transfer.	Total.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted, including committed.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	In custody.	On bail or recognizance.	Number of enquiries by subordinate Magistrates, under sections 156, 160, and Chapter XVI. of the Criminal Procedure Code.	Number of cases pending above six weeks at the end of the year.	Percentage of convictions in cases committed.
Sahâranpur	20	1,608	2,484	2	4,114	401	337	3,324	10	28	14	3	...	·80
Muzaffarnagar	15	900	4,122	22	5,065	1,542	664	2,855	4	31	99	6	...	·82
Dehra Dún	27	824	798	5	1,654	319	130	1,187	11	5	2	...	2	·80
Meerut	34	2,566	3,877	1	6,478	738	860	4,816	6	22	36	295	...	·74
Bulandshahr	44	1,528	2,381	7	3,960	922	256	2,665	9	56	52	23	18	·74
Aligarh	50	1,758	2,991	4	4,803	785	808	3,147	4	33	26	4	56	·81
Etah	33	1,159	1,161	1	2,354	288	316	1,699	3	36	12	13	...	·92
Moradabad	21	2,390	4,365	...	6,776	1,068	886	4,795	6	16	5	100	...	·64
Bijnor	31	1,179	1,922	14	3,146	138	603	2,334	22	7	42	15	6	·48
Bareilly	21	2,225	2,157	...	4,403	567	726	3,074	4	18	14	14	...	·86
Budaun	20	1,639	2,604	6	4,269	558	402	3,285	3	15	6	198	...	·90
Shâhjahânpur	63	2,852	2,153	13	5,081	1,012	495	3,575	17	28	14	49	...	·68
Agra	85	2,662	4,550	395	7,692	1,842	1,335	4,457	18	20	20	80	...	·71
Muttra	9	1,106	1,919	2	3,036	445	374	2,210	4	3	...	...	...	·84

Farukhabad	28	2,249	2,351	30	4,658	519	650	3,374	3	25	27	...	1	·83
Mainpuri	15	1,841	2,350	7	4,213	477	879	2,807	16	13	21	...	1	·73
Etáwah	49	1,585	1,855	66	3,555	364	433	2,662	55	32	9	11	22	·69
Cawnpore	33	2,218	4,240	2	6,492	258	1,030	5,179	13	9	3	23	1	·65
Fatehpur	24	1,347	1,565	...	2,936	506	395	2,022	3	2	8	11	...	·70
Bánda	29	1,474	2,076	18	3,597	393	648	2,520	3	20	13	...	10	·68
Hamírpur	15	1,274	623	36	1,953	281	224	1,430	9	7	2	325	10	·57
Allahabad	59	3,660	6,209	...	9,928	1,116	839	7,886	1	28	58	6	..	·72
Gorakhpur	48	3,690	3,526	2	7,266	840	899	5,504	2	8	13	148	...	·64
Basti	17	2,180	954	26	3,177	328	370	2,412	32	26	9	...	...	·68
Azamgarh	85	2,230	1,429	2	3,746	377	706	2,591	9	38	25	2,023	...	·100
Jaunpur	23	1,066	2,534	1	3,624	520	612	2,476	3	8	5	30	5	·69
Mirzapur	29	1,644	2,667	2	4,342	1,112	515	2,656	5	31	23	71	8	·81
Benares	53	3,432	3,039	117	6,641	2,216	624	3,761	18	13	9	...	...	·79
Gházipur	5	2,254	1,827	19	4,105	447	692	2,939	4	6	17	...	8	·97
Kumaun	4	1,240	246	4	1,494	124	81	1,280	5	2	2	1	...	·62
Garhwál	7	202	216	...	425	85	42	294	...	2	2	...	1	·12
Tarái	...	204	172	...	376	25	43	305	3	...	...	...	...	·100
Jhánsi	3	1,217	1,031	14	2,265	349	176	1,714	23	1	2	...	...	·83
Jalaun	18	909	708	67	1,701	273	267	1,087	61	5	8	...	...	·100
Lalitpur	19	680	251	6	956	146	26	776	14	4	..	...	...	·40
Total	1,035	60,996	77,369	891	140,291	21,441	18,223	99,093	403	598	528	3,419	143	·74

The causes of difference between the figures of this statement and those of No. 1 are, that in some districts cases committed and referred to sessions, included in this statement, are not included in No. 1, and cases transferred from one court to another in the same district are twice, sometimes thrice, entered in this statement.

No.

Statement showing the degrees of punishment inflicted by the several Magisterial

District.	NUMBER OF PERSONS PUNISHED.												
			Flogged.										
	Fined.	Imprisoned.	Juveniles.	Adults.	Ordered to find security for good behaviour.	Ordered to find security to keep the peace.	Ordered to enter into recognizance.	Ordered to maintain wife and children.	Ordered to refrain from taking possession of land or water.	Imprisoned and fined.	Imprisoned and flogged.	Fined and flogged.	Total persons punished.
Saháranpur ...	2,112	487	24	164	35	5	356	3	9	80	13	...	3,288
Muzaffarnagar ...	2,153	441	7	53	42	...	22	..	...	77	9	...	2,804
Dehra Dún ...	819	215	5	94	...	10	7	...	..	18	1	...	1,169
Meerút ...	3,779	624	43	132	45	35	17	...	...	86	11	...	4,772
Bulandshahr ...	1,609	706	21	63	18	23	84	..	..	96	...	...	2,620
Aligarh ...	2,010	673	5	117	76	17	83	...	...	74	33	...	3,088
Etah ...	822	573	29	49	21	...	58	...	...	92	23	...	1,667
Moradabad ...	2,715	1,810	33	135	83	64	169	...	...	217	17	...	4,743
Bijnor ...	1,349	418	4	68	90	38	132	...	...	216	9	...	2,324
Bareilly ...	1,187	1,112	95	152	110	12	148	5	...	84	3	...	2,908
Budaun ...	1,784	883	29	143	62	54	29	8	...	147	11	1	3,150
Shahjahánpur ...	1,875	857	31	20	57	272	1	...	2	194	38	1	3,528
Agra ...	2,805	1,068	38	123	41	9	64	1	7	150	21	...	4,327
Muttra ...	1,580	423	27	80	25	1	28	...	...	31	15	...	2,160
Farukhabad ...	1,973	919	25	60	54	55	90	...	...	77	20	...	3,273
Mainpuri ...	1,788	568	8	82	9	23	114	...	..	115	13	...	2,720
Etawah ...	1,536	578	17	155	36	1	100	4	9	129	25	...	2,590
Cawnpore ...	3,748	760	21	177	78	1	132	...	11	112	37	...	5,074
Fatehpur ...	1,139	581	18	35	23	...	28	...	...	127	2	...	1,953
Bánda ...	1,265	684	15	52	5	117	108	8	16	219	13	...	2,477
Hamirpur ...	606	391	25	142	6	20	37	...	17	22	15	1	1,342
Allahabad ...	5,795	1,115	91	283	96	26	194	2	3	130	31	...	7,766
Gorakhpur ...	2,912	938	27	697	268	61	177	29	31	142	61	...	5,343
Basti ...	926	833	25	158	30	4	116	...	..	191	9	...	2,293
Azamgarh ...	1,068	729	319	23	84	76	136	...	...	98	43	..	2,571
Jaunpur ...	1,628	457	14	64	37	19	35	...	9	120	24	...	2,407
Mirzapur ...	1,395	573	19	77	89	105	160	...	...	101	24	...	2,543
Benares ...	1,865	1,113	48	181	32	49	70	...	...	160	42	...	3,560
Ghazipur ...	1,531	681	6	76	147	101	94	...	...	134	16	.	2,985
Kumaun ...	786	175	10	48	14	41	156	1	1	17	4	...	1,253
Garhwál ...	148	21	2	...	2	4	60	3	...	45	...	...	285
Tarái ...	139	86	1	17	45	2	9	...	...	4	2	...	305
Jhánsi ...	1,070	475	2	83	1	...	17	...	...	36	12	...	1,696
Jalaun ...	463	383	16	121	12	8	13	...	...	44	15	...	1,075
Lalitpur ...	367	206	18	60	6	3	...	...	...	25	6	...	751
Total ...	58,754	22,206	1,117	4,164	1,779	1,256	3,044	59	115	3,605	617	3	96,309

3.

tribunals of the districts of the North-Western Provinces, during the year 1876.

DETAIL OF SENTENCE.							
NUMBER OF PERSONS.							
Fines.							
Not exceeding Rs. 10.	Not exceeding Rs. 50.	Not exceeding Rs. 100.	Not exceeding Rs. 500.	Total number of fines.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid to injured parties by way of compensation or amend.
1,999	170	19	4	2,192	12,682	10,509	1,050
2,138	84	4	2	2,228	8,346	7,387	319
782	48	8	...	838	2,991	2,679	255
3,396	421	28	20	3,865	21,888	19,399	390
1,527	136	48	1	1,702	13,753	7,554	152
1,851	221	11	1	2,084	11,853	10,838	207
793	114	6	1	914	6,098	4,961	360
2,723	183	19	7	2,932	15,062	11,901	703
1,359	167	24	14	1,564	16,183	9,792	1,080
1,091	102	40	37	1,270	15,613	9,730	404
1,766	148	13	4	1,931	11,143	9,705	893
1,827	221	11	10	2,069	15,821	9,266	2,355
2,767	173	15	...	2,955	12,807	10,328	405
1,491	67	3	...	1,561	6,662	5,277	...
1,849	187	5	9	2,050	11,248	8,789	175
1,713	183	7	...	1,903	9,667	7,528	1,159
1,482	174	8	2	1,666	9,575	7,725	1,180
3,613	223	11	9	3,856	16,842	13,107	1,118
1,120	116	22	2	1,266	7,318	5,743	446
1,301	163	14	6	1,484	11,273	9,804	623
634	50	1	2	687	6,189	5,924	280
5,544	344	28	7	5,923	23,722	18,260	755
2,776	267	11	6	3,060	17,347	16,650	1,095
996	115	6	...	1,117	6,119	4,305	210
944	209	6	2	1,161	8,311	6,820	460
1,530	198	8	11	1,747	13,206	11,134	250
1,328	160	4	4	1,496	10,080	7,677	1,190
1,684	332	8	1	2,025	13,979	9,055	752
1,416	192	46	11	1,665	14,896	10,689	231
684	115	3	2	804	5,424	4,396	267
157	28	2	6	193	2,713	1,026	278
122	19	1	1	143	1,268	1,154	231
1,063	42	...	1	1,106	3,472	3,181	839
437	69	1	...	507	3,338	3,063	162
342	48	1	1	392	2,626	2,101	5
56,251	5,479	442	184	62,356	369,415	287,457	19,180

No. 8.

Statement showing the degrees of punishment inflicted by the several Magisterial tribunals of the districts of the North-Western Provinces during the year 1876—(concluded).

District.	DETAIL OF SENTENCE.														
	Number of persons.														
	Imprisoned.										*Flogging.*		Persons imprisoned in default of security.	Fines not exceeding Rs. 1,000.	Fines above Rs. 1,000.
	Not exceeding.														
	15 days.		6 months.		2 years.		7 years.		Total.		Average number of stripes.	Highest number of stripes in any one case.			
	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Rigorous, above 7 years.	Rigorous.	Simple.					
Saháranpur ...	19	3	309	9	235	...	...	...	563	17	15	30	19	...	...
Muzaffarnagar	19	18	258	9	127	...	...	...	504	22	16	30	38	...	...
Dehra Dún ...	47	4	120	3	57	2	...	...	224	9	18	30	...	...	...
Meerut ...	69	26	373	14	239	...	...	...	681	40	15	30	20	...	...
Bulandshahr,	181	25	301	13	264	...	29	...	775	38	20	30	19	3	...
Aligarh ...	126	3	413	8	223	...	6	...	768	11	20	30	57	...	...
Etah ...	122	3	427	11	125	...	...	...	674	14	18	30	15	...	...
Moradabad ...	291	18	846	43	329	...	...	...	1,466	61	20	30	46	...	...
Bijnor ...	136	11	353	7	135	...	...	...	624	18	21	30	23	1	...
Bareilly ...	145	16	717	35	285	1	...	...	1,147	52	17	30	95	1	...
Budaun ...	110	12	522	29	366	2	...	...	998	43	21	30	45	...	...
Sháhjahánpur,	215	34	573	15	251	1	...	...	1,039	50	20	30	32	2	...
Agra ...	264	46	637	27	264	1	...	...	1,165	74	21	30	13	...	...
Muttra ...	68	8	209	...	184	...	...	...	461	8	15	30	15	...	...
Farukhabad...	163	50	561	28	214	...	...	...	938	78	15	30	109	...	...
Mainpuri ...	121	10	365	6	194	...	...	...	680	16	18	30	7	...	...
Etáwah ...	104	24	433	29	136	...	3	...	676	53	14	30	25	...	...
Cawnpore ...	182	16	462	20	229	...	...	...	873	36	11	30	73	1	...
Fatehpur ...	131	22	393	26	136	...	...	...	662	48	22	30	9	...	...
Bánda ...	198	13	583	28	141	...	3	...	885	41	14	30	9	...	...
Hamirpur ...	86	11	254	18	59	1	...	...	399	30	15	30	5	1	1
Allahabad ...	98	26	719	94	335	4	...	...	1,152	124	18	30	90	2	...
Gorakhpur ...	59	39	656	63	324	...	...	...	1,039	102	18	30	233	...	...
Basti ...	182	60	567	37	185	2	...	...	934	99	14	30	17	.	...
Azamgarh ...	141	40	430	22	232	...	...	...	803	62	20	30	50	...	...
Jaunpur ...	88	23	272	45	169	3	1	...	530	71	18	30	34	1	...
Mirzapur ...	39	8	428	23	200	...	...	...	667	31	13	30	85	...	...
Benares ...	94	2	656	29	325	1	8	...	1,283	32	17	30	38	...	...
Gházipur ...	68	19	498	21	268	1*	6	...	840	41	15	30	102	...	...
Kumaun ...	25	...	111	2	57	...	...	...	193	2	16	30	12	...	...
Garhwál ...	4	1	24	...	37	...	...	...	65	1	12	15	...	...	...
Taráí ...	1	1	45	3	40	...	...	...	86	4	15	30	30	...	...
Jhánsi ...	80	17	292	22	90	...	20	...	482	39	18	30	...	...	...
Jalaun ...	37	13	279	26	75	9	21	...	412	48	8	30	18	...	...
Lalitpur ...	38	12	171	11	55	...	15	...	274	23	16	30	6	...	...
Total ...	3,776	684	14,457	776	6,587	28	112	...	24,932	1,488	18	30	1,384	12	1

No. 4.

Statement showing the number of witnesses who attended the Magistrate's Courts and the period of their detention.

District.	Number of witnesses who attended.	Number of witnesses detained.			Percentage of witnesses detained.		
		Above one day.	Above three days.	Above seven days.	Above one day.	Above three days.	Above seven days.
Saháranpur ...	9,179	20	...	1	...	...	...
Muzaffarnagar ...	6,826	217	2	1	·3	...	...
Dehra Dún ...	2,103	89	...	...	·4	...	...
Meerut ...	11,090	729	23	...	·7	...	...
Bulandshahr ...	7,931	461	...	...	·6	...	...
Aligarh ...	10,205	608	62	...	·6	...	...
Etah ...	5,986	123	1	...	·2	...	...
Moradabad ...	16,356	943	80	...	·6	...	...
Bijnor ...	7,546	591	17	...	·7	...	...
Bareilly ...	12,074	749	...	...	·5	...	...
Budaun ...	11,403	360	10	...	·3	...	...
Sháhjahánpur ...	12,286	931	18	...	·7	...	...
Agra ...	15,426	993	12	...	·6	...	...
Muttra ...	6,231	63	...	...	...	...	...
Farukhabad ...	11,984	382	69	...	·3	...	...
Mainpuri ...	9,736	504	...	...	·5	...	...
Etáwah ...	8,535	175	5	...	·2	...	...
Cawnpore ...	12,104	248	...	...	·2	...	...
Fatehpur ...	6,477	665	31	...	·10	...	...
Bánda ...	6,430	230	35	...	·3	1	...
Hamirpur ...	5,179	358	67	...	·7	1	...
Allahabad ...	16,434	593	6	...	·3	...	...
Gorakhpur ...	12,674	1,022	132	...	·10	...	...
Basti ...	5,989	306	30	9	·5	...	...
Azamgarh ...	8,928	1,064	52	...	·12	...	...
Jaunpur ...	10,601	315	...	...	·2	...	...
Mirzapur ...	11,234	311	...	...	·3	...	...
Benares ...	9,541	297	...	...	·3	...	...
Gházipur ...	12,482	547	...	...	·4	...	...
Kumaun ...	1,477	4	...	...	...	...	...
Garhwál ...	958	2	...	...	...	...	...
Tarai ...	812	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jhánsi ...	4,009	161	29	...	·4	...	...
Jalaun ...	3,616	113	18	...	·2	...	...
Lalitpur ...	2,069	99	24	...	·4	1	...
Total ...	303,761	15,173	723	11	·5	...	...

No. 5.

Statement showing the results of the appeals from the orders of the Assistants preferred to the Magistrates of the districts during the year 1876.

District.	Number of appellants.	Number of persons.					Remarks.
		Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences reversed or modified.	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending.	
Sahárunpur	59	14	25	17	...	3	
Muzaffarnagar	78	8	24	45	...	1	
Dehra Dún	5	...	5	...	...	...	
Meerut	99	4	54	41	...	...	
Bulandshahr	51	1	43	5	...	2	
Aligarh	232	9	132	109	20	12	
Etah	56	2	29	24	...	1	
Moradabad	184	53	79	39	...	12	1 Referred to High Court.
Bijnor	82	...	48	29	3	2	
Bareilly	58	2	28	26	2	...	
Budaun	75	13	47	15	...	...	
Sháhjahánpur	56	7	35	14	...	...	
Agra	280	56	105	106	5	5	3 Referred to High Court.
Muttra	123	9	61	50	3	...	
Farukhabad	75	20	29	24	...	1	1 Referred to High Court.
Mainpuri	31	...	18	12	...	1	
Etáwah	106	...	60	45	1	...	
Cawnpore	88	8	47	31	2	...	
Fatehpur	151	14	62	73	...	2	
Bánda	23	...	11	2	10	...	
Hamírpur	34	11	3	19	...	1	
Allahabad	69	13	26	27	2	1	
Gorakhpur	242	7	164	64	6	...	1 Referred to High Court.
Basti	57	1	30	22	4	...	
Azamgarh	116	57	9	33	14	3	
Jaunpur	169	21	73	73	2	...	
Mirzapur	14	1	7	6	...	...	
Benares	142	5	96	35	6	...	
Ghásipur	111	14	39	49	5	...	4 Referred for revision to High Court.
Kumaun	43	10	15	14	1	...	3 Proceedings quashed.
Garhwál	34	...	22	12	...	...	
Tarái	3	1	1	1	...	...	
Jhánsi	21	...	12	9	...	...	
Jalaun	35	1	21	13	...	...	
Lalitpur	33	1	26	5	...	1	
Total ...	3,085	363	1,486	1,089	86	48	13

No. 6.

Statement showing the average number of days during which each case lasted in the Courts of Magistrates of the districts and their subordinates during the years 1875 *and* 1876.

District.	Average duration of cases in the Magisterial Courts.					
	For the year 1875.			*For the year* 1876.		
	Year.	Months.	Days.	Year.	Months.	Days.
Saháranpur	...	...	6	...	...	6
Muzaffarnagar	...	...	8	...	...	8
Dehra Dún	...	...	4	...	...	2
Meerut	...	...	3	...	...	4
Bulandshahr	...	...	7	...	...	8
Aligarh	...	...	8	...	...	9
Etah	...	...	6	...	...	6
Moradabad	...	...	8	...	...	9
Bijnor	...	...	8	...	...	9
Bareilly	...	...	5	...	...	6
Budaun	...	...	6	...	...	4
Sháhjahánpur	...	...	6	...	...	5
Agra	...	...	8	...	...	7
Muttra	...	...	6	...	...	6
Farukhabad	...	...	7	...	...	8
Mainpuri	...	...	6	...	...	6
Etáwah	...	...	6	...	...	6
Cawnpore	...	...	6	...	...	6
Fatehpur	...	...	8	...	...	9
Bánda	...	...	5	...	...	4
Hamírpur	...	...	8	...	...	4
Allahabád	...	...	4	...	...	5
Gorakhpur	...	...	8	...	...	9
Basti	...	...	8	...	...	8
Azamgarh	...	...	7	...	...	10
Jaunpur	...	...	7	...	...	4
Mirzapur	...	...	10	...	...	12
Benares	...	...	5	...	...	6
Gházipur	...	...	10	...	...	8
Kumaun	...	...	10	...	...	6
Garhwál	...	...	17	...	...	20
Tarái	...	...	3	...	...	3
Jhánsi	...	...	8	...	...	5
Jalaun	...	...	8	...	...	8
Lalitpur	...	...	6	...	...	6
Average duration	...	...	8	...	...	7

No. 7.

Statement showing the detailed result of appeals to the Sessions Courts during the year 1876.

I.—APPEALS.

District.	Number of appellants.	Number of persons.					Remarks.
		Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences reversed or modified.	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending.	
Saháranpur ...	153	5	121	27	...	...	
Muzaffarnagar ...	98	6	61	31	...	...	
Dehra Dún ...	20	3	11	6	...	...	
Meerut ...	197	32	70	91	...	4	
Bulandshahr ...	148	19	80	46	...	...	3 Referred to High Court.
Aligarh ...	240	62	113	47	...	18	
Etah ...	80	17	42	17	...	4	
Moradabad ...	265	7	120	63	...	75	
Bijnor ...	96	1	59	15	...	21	
Bareilly ...	136	1	96	31	...	8	
Budaun ...	67	1	59	7	...	...	
Sháhjahánpur ...	178	6	139	30	...	3	
Agra ...	82	34	21	27	...	...	
Muttra ...	84	43	26	15	...	...	
Farukhabad ...	99	16	48	31	...	4	
Mainpuri ...	133	19	48	58	...	5	2 Ditto ditto. 1 Proceedings quashed.
Etáwah ...	79	14	45	18	...	2	
Cawnpore ...	134	44	39	33	3	14	1 Referred to High Court.
Fatehpur ...	77	19	21	24	2	3	8 Ditto ditto.
Bánda ...	98	17	58	23	...	...	
Hamirpur ...	31	10	15	5	...	1	
Allahabad ...	234	52	120	52	3	6	1 Ditto ditto.
Goraklpur ...	220	70	81	51	8	...	5 Quashed. 5 Referred to High Court.
Basti ...	84	37	22	23	...	2	
Azamgarh ...	109	26	68	10	...	3	2 Ditto ditto.
Jaunpur ...	96	32	27	29	...	...	8 Ditto ditto.
Mirzapur ...	113	39	68	6	...	...	
Benares ...	261	94	93	70	3	...	1 Ditto ditto.
Gházipur ...	125	6	115	4	...	...	
Kumaun ...	164	38	72	17	3	4	30 Proceedings quashed.
Garhwál ...	100	11	11	26	...	3	49 Referred to High Court.
Taráí ...	7	1	1	5	...	...	
Jhánsi ...	31	15	11	3	...	2	
Jalaun ...	35	6	28	1	...	...	
Lalitpur ...	57	10	36	9	...	2	
Total ...	4,131	813	2,045	951	22	184	116

No. 8.

Statement of the detailed results of Commitments to Sessions Courts during the year 1876.

II.—Commitments.

Districts.	Number of persons committed, including those awaiting trial at the end of the last year.	Persons disposed of.		Persons remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.	Percentage of persons convicted to total number disposed of.
		Convicted, including those whose sentences were referred for confirmation to the High Court.	Acquitted.		
Saháranpur	40	31	7	2	·82
Muzaffarnagar ...	37	24	7	6	·77
Debra Dún	16	14	1	1	·95
Meerut	49	30	19	...	·61
Bulandshahr	43	31	12	...	·73
Aligarh	61	48	12	1	·80
Etah	38	29	7	2	·80
Moradabad	94	49	27	18	·64
Bijnor	36	15	16	5	·48
Bareilly	159	121	16	22	·88
Budaun	59	53	6	...	·90
Sháhjahánpur ...	184 (*d*)	137	34	12	·80
Agra	130	88	36	6	·70
Muttra	53	32	16	5	·60
Farukhabad	101	77	20	4	·79
Mainpuri	86 (*f*)	48	26	10	·64
Etáwah	107	57	29	21	·66
Cawnpore	172	106	55	11	·77
Fatehpur	69 (*g*)	47	21	...	·68
Bánda	74 (*a*)	48	23	2	·67
Hamirpur	71	40	30	1	·57
Allahabad ...	130 (*e*)	83	33	13	·72
Gorakhpur	128 (*h*)	88	32	7	·73
Basti	131	95	33	3	·74
Azamgarh	72	61	1	10	·98
Jaunpur	62 (*b*)	36	22	3	·64
Mirzapur	117	92	20	5	·82
Bénares	108 (*c*)	72	34	1	·47
Gházipur	105	102	3	...	·97
Kumaun	32	20	12	...	·62
Garhwál	9	1	7	1	·12
Tarái	2	2	...	...	·100
Jhánsi	12	10	2	...	·83
Jalaun	12	12	...	...	·100
Lalitpur	6 (*i*)	2	3	...	·40
Total ...	2,605	1,801	622	172	·72

(*a*) 1 Died (*c*) 1 Died (*e*) 1 Transferred to High Court (*g*) 1 Transferred to Allahabad Sessions Court.
(*b*) 1 Died (*d*) 1 Died (*f*) 2 Died (*h*) 1 Transferred.
(*i*) 1 Sentenced to death in another case.

No. 9.

Statement showing the amount of business disposed of by the Sessions Judge during the year 1876.

Names of Sessions Judges and Districts.	Commitments. Number of persons. Committed, including those awaiting trial at the end of last year.	Convicted and sentenced.	Sentenced to death, referred for confirmation.	Acquitted.	Remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.	Appeals. Number of persons. Number of appellants.	Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences modified.	Sentences reversed.	Remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.
Bánda ... {C. Grant, Esq.	(a) 31	16	...	14	...	37	3	29	3	2	...
{W. R. Benson „	43	31	1	9	2	61	14	29	8	10	...
Hamírpur ... {C. Grant „	12	9	...	3	...	24	9	13	1	1	...
{W. R. Benson „	59	28	3	27	1	7	1	2	2	1	1
Mirzapur ... {J. W. Sherer, Esq. C. S. I. ...	100	81	3	11	5	110	39	67	...	4	...
{S. S. Melville, Esq.	17	8	...	9	...	3	...	1	2	...	...
Meerut .. H. W. Dashwood „	49	28	2	19	...	197	32	70	43	48	4
Bulandshahr ... Ditto	43	31	...	12	...	(b) 148	19	80	14	32	...
Gházipur ...J. W. Power, Esq.	105	102	...	3	...	125	6	115	1	3	...
Farrukhabad ... {G. B. Pasley „	71	47	8	12	4	49	5	19	...	11	4
{R. H. Clifford „	30	21	1	8	...	50	11	19	3	17	...
Jaunpur ... {M. Brodhurst „	37	19	1	14	3	(d) 52	12	22	7	3	...
{W. R. Benson „	(e) 25	16	...	8	...	44	20	5	12	7	...
Benares ... {M. Brodhurst „	(e) 65	50	2	11	1	(f) 179	62	65	23	27	...
{W. R. Benson „	43	20	...	23	...	(g) 82	32	28	4	16	...
Azamgarh .. R. P. Saunders „	72	61	...	1	10	(h) 109	26	68	6	4	3
Bareilly ... {C. W. Moore „	42	29	10	3	...	54	1	38	5	10	...
{G. P. Money „	117	77	5	13	22	82	...	58	10	6	8
Budaun ... Ditto	59	51	2	6	...	67	1	59	4	3	...
Sháhjahánpur ...J. Power, Esq.	(i) 184	121	16	34	12	178	6	139	19	11	3
Aligarh ... {H. M. Chase, Esq.	61	35	3	11	1	202	51	94	16	23	18
{J. C. Colvin „		10	...	1		38	11	19	7	1	
Etah ... {H. M. Chase „	38	20	1	3	2	58	10	33	...	11	4
{J. C. Colvin „		6	2	4		22	7	9	...	6	
{H. Lushington „	(k) 96	57	...	25	13	(l) 195	46	88	18	34	6
Allahabad ... {J. C. Robertson „	34	26	...	8	...	(m) 39	6	22	...	...	...

Moradabad ...	G. Palmer ,, ...	59	32	3	24	18	145	5	59	9	41	75
	W. C. Plowden ,, ...	35	12	2	3		1:0	2	31	...	13	
Bijnor ...	G. Palmer ,, ...	25	4	2	14	5	46	...	33	4	8	
	W. C. Plowden ,, ...	11	9	...	2	...	50	1	26	1	2	21
Saháranpur ...	R. H. Clifford ,, ...	30	27	...	3	...	79	6	45	4	24	
	W. G. Probyn ,, ...	63	39	3	12	9	192	8	148	12	24	...
Agra ...	H. G. Keene ,, ...	183	112	8	52	11	166	77	47	15	26	...
Mainpuri ...	B. W. Colvin ,, ...	10	6	...	4	...	22	12	5	4	1	...
	G. E. Watson ,, ...	(n) 76	41	1	22	10	(o.) 111	7	43	23	30	
Etáwah ...	B. W. Colvin ,, ...	15	13	...	2	...	23	1	19	...	3	5
	G. E. Watson ,, ...	92	42	2	27	21	56	13	25	4	11	...
Cawnpore ...	J. H. Prinsep ,, ...	82	42	5	24	11	(p.) 85	34	21	12	2	2
	S. S. Melville ,, ...	90	55	4	31	...	(q.) 49	10	18	7	12	14
Fatehpur ...	J. H. Prinsep ,, ...	24	18	...	6	...	(s.) 45	11	12	5	4	...
	S. S Melville ,, ...	(r) 45	29	...	15	...	32	8	9	5	10	3
Gorakhpur ...	C. A. Daniell ,, ...	(t) 259	180	3	65	10	(u.) 804	107	103	39	85	...
Jhánsi Division ...	A. R. Pollock ,, ...	(v) 30	13	11	5	...	102	29	61	7	5	3
	Col. J Davidson ,, ...	...	...	...	...	...	21	2	14	...	1	...
Kumaun Division,	Major-General Sir. H Ramsay ...	43	17	6	19	1	(w.) 271	50	84	14	34	4
	E Colvin, Esq. ... ,,											7
Total		2,605	1,691	110	622	172	4,131	813	2,045	374	577	184

(a) 1 Died before trial.
(b.) 3 Referred to High Court.
(c.) 1 Died.
(d.) 8 Referred to High Court.
(e) 1 Died.
(f.) 1 Referred to High Court.
1 Returned for further investigation.
(g.) 2 Ditto ditto.
(h.) 2 Referred to High Court.
(i.) 1 Died.
(k.) 1 Transferred to High Court.
(l.) 1 Referred to High Court.
2 Returned for new trial.
(m.) 1 Ditto ditto.
(n.) 2 Died.
(o.) 1 Proceedings quashed.
2 Referred to High Court.
(p.) 2 Remanded for further investigation.
(q.) 2 Ditto.
(r.) 1 Transferred to Allahabad Session's Court.
(s.) 2 Returned for new trial.
8 Referred to High Court.
(t.) 1 Transferred to another district.
(u.) 5 Proceedings quashed.
7 Returned for new trial.
6 Referred to High Court.
(v.) 1 Sentenced to death in another case.
(w.) 3 Returned for new trial.
30 Proceedings quashed.
49 Referred to High Court.

No. 10.

Statement showing degrees of punishment inflicted by the Sessions Judges during the year 1876.

District.	PERSONS SENTENCED TO: Death.	Transportation: For life.	Transportation: For a term.	Penal servitude.	Imprisonment, Rigorous: With solitary confinement.	Imprisonment, Rigorous: Without solitary confinement.	Imprisonment: Simple.	Forfeiture of property.	Fine: With imprisonment.	Fine: Without imprisonment.	Whipping: In addition to other punishment.	Whipping: In lieu of other punishment.	Persons ordered to find or give: Surety of the peace.	Recognizance.	Sureties for good behaviour.	DETAIL OF PUNISHMENT. Fines: Rs. 10 and under.	Rs. 50 and under.	Rs. 100 and under.	Rs. 500 and under.	Rs. 1,000 and under.	Above Rs. 4,000.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	Imprisonment, 15 days: Rigorous.	15 days: Simple.	6 months: Rigorous.	6 months: Simple.	2 years: Rigorous.	2 years: Simple.	Not exceeding 7 years: Rigorous.	Not exceeding 7 years: Simple.	Above 7 years: Rigorous.	Above 7 years: Simple.	Whipped: 10 stripes and under.	20 stripes and under.	30 stripes and under.
																						Rs.	Rs.	Rs.													
Sahâranpur ...	3	5	...	...	...	50	...	3	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	4	...	1	...	...	760	350	...	...	...	6	...	12	...	37	...	6	...	...	...	...
Meerut	2	2	...	...	...	24	...	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	500	500	...	1	...	4	...	11	...	7	...	1	...	...	1	1
Bulandshahr ...	...	2	...	...	...	29	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	4	...	18	...	5	...	...	...	...
Aligarh	3	5	10	...	...	24	...	...	3	...	...	1	...	...	2	...	...	2	1	...	...	700	...	...	...	...	1	...	5	...	20	...	1	...	1	...	...
Etah	3	4	2	...	...	19	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	50	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	14	...	1	...	...	...	...
Moradabad ...	5	4	...	...	...	38	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	150	150	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	23	...	9	...	...	...	...
Bijnor	2	2	...	...	...	8	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	100	...	...	...	...	2	...	4	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	1
Bareilly	17	26	...	...	...	128	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	200	...	...	...	...	6	2	33	1	76	...	13	...	...	...	...
Shâhjahânpur ...	16	11	5	...	...	84	2	...	26	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	19	6	...	...	...	1,485	323	150	...	...	2	...	45	2	49	...	12	...	...	...	...
Agra	8	28	...	...	6	69	...	...	4	2	3	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	...	...	1	2,025	188	1,875	...	...	22	1	6	2	41	...	7	...	2	...	1

Farukhabad ...	9	14	...	...	3	41	1	...	6	1	...	2	...	...	...	..	6	...	...	..	1	3,220	3,000	220	...	...	5	...	2	1	38	...	5	...	2	..	...
Mainpuri ...	1	1	...	...	...	32	4	...	6	4	...	...	...	...	...	7	1	...	2	...	...	454	34	...	...	1	11	3	8	...	18	...	1	...	...	...	...
Etáwah ...	2	...	...	...	...	46	1	...	6	...	...	2	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	330	...	...	...	...	1	1	14	...	33	...	4	...	...	2	...
Cawnpore ...	9	8	11	...	...	69	2	...	4	...	1	2	...	...	...	..	2	1	1	...	...	366	82	51	...	...	7	2	23	...	53	...	3	...	1	2	...
Fatehpur ...	...	...	16	...	...	27	...	...	1	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1,000	1,000	...	...	...	5	...	3	...	20	...	1	...	...	...	...
Bánda ...	1	9	...	...	...	38	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	4	...	26	...	5	...	...	...	...
Hamírpur ...	3	5	...	...	...	32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	12	...	14	...	6	...	...	...	...
Allahabad ...	4	5	...	...	...	73	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	8	...	50	...	11	...	...	...	...
Gorakhpur ...	3	7	4	...	17	142	...	...	8	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	4	2	1	...	1,924	1,780	857	...	...	29	...	38	...	98	...	6	...	...	1	...
Azamgarh ...	...	7	...	...	...	48	...	...	5	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	2	3	...	...	...	400	27	..	...	...	8	...	9	...	25	...	6	...	...	...	1
Jaunpur ...	1	3	2	...	...	28	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	50	...	...	...	...	4	1	2	...	19	...	4	...	...	...	...
Mirzapur ...	3	8	11	...	...	63	1	...	5	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	3	1	...	..	...	260	249	50	...	...	4	...	18	1	45	...	1	...	...	...	1
Benares ...	2	9	...	...	...	26	...	...	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	29	2	4	...	...	2,075	4	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	46	...	10	...	...	...	...
Gházipur ...	...	1	1	...	...	93	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	5	1	...	3,020	28	200	...	...	6	...	39	..	50	...	6	1	...	..	...
Jhánsi ...	11	7	2	...	...	4	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	1	...	...	200	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	..	...	...	...	...
Kumaun ...	6	1	...	...	...	14	..	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	.	..	1	...	..	...	100	100	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	10	...	1	...	...	...	...
Total ...	114*	174	64	...	26	1,249	16	3	132	11	4	16	...	...	2	18	76	25	22	3	2	19,369	7,820	3,403	1	1	134	11	319	7	836	...	115	1	6	6	5

* Inclusive of two cases received in 1877, and not shown in statement No. 13.

No. 1

Statement showing the particulars of trials held by the Sessions Judges with aid of Assessors during the year 1876.

Name of districts.	Average number of assessors in each case.	Number of cases tried with assessors.	Number of persons of classes employed as assessors.							Number of cases in which Judge agreed with assessors.	Number of cases in which Judge differed from assessors.	Number of persons fined for non-attendance.	Amount of fine imposed.	Remarks.
			Pleaders.	Bankers or traders.	Engaged in service.	Agriculturists.	Landholders.	Other classes.	Total.					
													Rs.	
Sahárunpur ...	3	20	...	27	...	...	30	3	60	17	3	7	7	
Muzaffarnagar ...	3	15	..	18	...	...	24	3	45	12	3	...	...	
Dehra Dún ...	3	10	2	6	...	...	9	13	30	9	1	...	...	
Meerut ...	3	31	...	50	20	10	10	3	93	24	7	...	...	
Bulandshahr ...	3	21	...	10	20	10	10	13	63	13	8	...	...	
Aligarh ...	3	40	4	11	6	3	65	28	117	38	2	...	...	
Etah ...	3	24	1	5	5	...	52	3	66	24	...	...	...	
Moradabad ...	3	28	...	23	...	...	60	...	83	26	2	1	100	
Bijnor ...	3	10	...	1	...	...	29	...	30	8	2	2	100	
Bareilly ...	3	71	...	69	15	...	90	39	213	71	...	...	...	
Budaun ...	3	32	...	...	...	...	96	...	96	32	...	11	11	
Sháhjahánpur ...	3	80	...	33	26	...	180	1	240	71	9	2	4	
Agra ...	3	57	22	104	15	4	16	9	170	45	12	3	15	
Muttra ...	3	23	...	56	...	2	4	6	68	20	3	3	45	
Farukhabad ...	3	45	...	8	5	...	34	88	135	37	8	...	...	
Mainpuri ...	3	25	...	3	2	...	69	...	74	16	9	...	...	
Etáwah ...	3	42	...	27	23	...	76	...	126	36	6	...	...	
Cawnpore ...	3	81	48	83	38	...	73	...	242	63	18	2	15	
Fatehpur ...	3	30	...	38	15	...	36	...	89	23	7	...	...	
Bánda ...	3	37	10	31	10	...	45	15	111	31	6	2	40	
Hamírpur ...	3	26	5	34	10	...	29	...	78	25	1	...	...	
Allahabad ...	3	55	...	49	6	...	78	15	141	49	6	1	5	
Gorakhpur ...	3	63	...	46	9	19	81	34	189	56	7	...	...	
Basti ...	3	53	...	3	...	128	26	2	159	44	9	...	...	
Azamgarh ...	3	41	...	6	...	...	117	...	123	39	2	...	...	
Jaunpur ...	3	29	27	25	6	...	29	...	87	27	2	...	..	
Mirzapur ...	3	52	...	47	18	34	40	17	156	41	11	1	25	
Benares ...	3	44	...	70	18	1	29	12	130	41	3	...	...	
Gházipur ...	3	53	...	26	1	...	101	13	141	51	2	...	...	
Kumaun ...														
Garhwál ...	3	18	...	32	3	...	19	...	54	16	2	...	...	
Tarái ...														
Jhánsi ...														
Jaloun ...	3	11	4	12	1	...	12	4	33	8	3	...	...	
Lalitpur ...														
Total ...	3	1,167	123	946	272	211	1,569	321	3,442	1,013	154	40	367	

No. 12.

Statement showing the average number of days during which each trial and appeal lasted in Courts of Sessions Judges during the year 1876.

District.	Trial of committed cases.		Appeals.	
	Number of trials disposed of during the year 1876.	Average number of days during which each trial lasted.	Number of appeals disposed of during the year 1876.	Average number of days during which each appeal lasted.
Saháranpúr	53	42	185	14
Muzaffarnagar				
Dehra Dún				
Meerut	31	27	130	24
Bulandshahr	21	34	107	19
Aligarh	42	5	151	17
Etah	24	4	50	16
Moradabad	35	92	111	59
Bijnor	16	96	48	77
Bareilly	72	27	128	15
Budaun	32	26	67	14
Sháhjahánpur	80	48	106	21
Agra	61	17	60	9
Muttra	25	23	53	11
Farukhabad	49	38	60	18
Mainpuri	26	26	75	19
Etáwah	45	55	56	21
Cawnpore	81	31	81	20
Fatehpur	30	47	47	22
Bánda	46	37	43	34
Hamírpur	30	74	15	35
Allahabad	57	29	147	10
Gorakhpur	70	23	166	6
Basti	53	45	50	10
Azamgarh	41	27	71	16
Jaunpur	34	42	73	4
Mirzapur	71	25	89	8
Benares	47	30	186	8
Ghazipur	61	27	92	10
Kumaun	12	12	81	16
Garhwál	4	15	25	24
Tarái	2	20	4	20
Jhánsi	9	65	24	5
Jalaun	5	43	21	11
Lalitpur	1	60	36	16
Total	1,266	34	2,038	18

No. 13.

1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.	16.	17.	18.	19.	20.	21.	22.	23.	24.
		Number of persons whose cases were disposed of by the High Court.											Number of persons whose cases were appealed or called for on perusal of monthly statements.				Number of persons whose cases were submitted under Sections 322, and 295, and 296 Act X of 1872.						
		Old Law.					New Law.																
Zila.	Names of Sessions Judges.	Number of persons whose cases were referred to High Court.	Number of persons whose sentences passed agreed with Sessions Judge's recommendation.	Number of persons in which it differed.	Number of persons acquitted by High Court.	Total.	Number of persons sentenced to death referred to High Court for confirmation.	Number of persons in which sentences of death was passed by Sessions Judge and confirmed by High Court.	Number of persons in which it was modified.	Number of persons acquitted by High Court.	Total.	Grand Total.	Number in which order was confirmed.	Number modified or remanded.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Number confirmed.	Number modified.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Percentage of columns 4 and 9 to columns 3 and 8.	Percentage of columns 14 and 18 to totals of columns 17 and 21.	
Bánda ...	C. Grant, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	21	5	2	28	6	11	...	17	...	·60	
	W. R. Benson „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	4	3	1	...	4	4	1	3	4	8	1	...	...	1	·75	·22	
Mirzapur ...	J. W. Sherer, Esq., C.S.I.	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	3	3	17	4	12	33	14	2	1	17	100	62	
Meerut ...	H. W. Dashwood Esq., ...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	2	2	17	7	1	25	8	2	...	10	·100	·71	
Bulandshahr ...																							
Gházipur ...	J. W. Power „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	3	15	68	7	5	2	14	...	·70	
	R. Saunders „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Farukhabad ...	G. B. Pasley „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	7	6	1	...	7	7	8	10	1	19	27	...	1	28	·85	·74	
	R. H. Clifford „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	8	3	1	12	3	5	...	8	·100	·55	
Benares ...	M. Brodhurst „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	3	3	13	1	1	15	9	1	...	10	·100	·88	
	W. R. Benson „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	2	3	15	6	10	...	16	...	·52	
Azamgarh ...	R. Saunders „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	2	...	14	4	1	...	5	...	·84	
Bareilly ...	G. P. Money „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	8	8	...	...	8	8	43	8	2	53	9	5	6	20	·100	·71	
	C. W. Moore „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	10	6	4	...	10	10	7	...	...	7	1	1	1	3	·60	·80	
Sháhjahánpur ...	J. Power „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	16	13	3	...	16	16	38	31	4	73	27	3	...	30	81	63	

Aligarh	H. Chase	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	...	4	4	12	3	...	15	10	3	...	13	·100	·79
	G. H. Lawrence	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	1	1	...	2	...	·33
	J. C. Colvin	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	2	2	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	·100	50
Allahabad	H. Lushington	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	16	12	4	32	9	15	1	25	·100	·44
	J. C. Robertson	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	2	2	4	7	...	11	3	2	1	6	·100	·41
Moradabad	G. Palmer	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	4	...	1	5	5	6	14	3	23	11	...	...	11	·80	·50
	W. C. Plowden	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	·100	...
	W. J. R. Carnac	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Saháranpur	W. G. Probyn	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	3	3	19	1	1	21	14	...	...	14	·100	·94
	R. H. Clifford	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	...	5	...	7	6	13	...	·22
Agra	H. G. Keene,	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	8	4	1	3	8	8	15	10	6	31	7	5	...	12	·50	·51
Mainpuri	S. S. Melville	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	4	...	7	1	...	...	1	...	·50
	B. W. Colvin	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	2	6	1	3	...	4	...	·50
	G. E. Watson	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	...	1	3	3	11	3	4	18	5	...	...	5	·67	·70
Cawnpore	J. H. Prinsep	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	4	1	...	5	5	20	6	9	35	17	10	...	27	·80	·60
	S. S. Melville	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...	...	4	4	19	8	4	31	7	1	7	15	·100	·56
Gorakhpur	C. A. Daniel	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	3	3	54	8	4	66	12	5	...	17	·100	·89
Jhánsi	A. R. Pollock	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	6	4	1	11	11	14	4	...	18	3	10	1	14	·55	·53
	Colonel, J. Davidson		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	·100
	J. White	Esq.,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	·100
	J. S. Porter	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	·100
	Major J. Listen		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	·100
	Colonel A. G Davidson		...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kumaun	Major-General Sir H. Ramsay.		...	...	...	...	...	...	6	5	1	...	6	6	...	...	...	...	6	34	...	40	·83	·15
	Total		...	...	...	...	...	...	112	90	16	6	112	112	419	165	84	708	229	142	28	399	·80	62

No. 14.

Statement of business disposed of in the High Court of Judicature at Allahabad, in the year 1876—Original side.

	Cases			Before					
	Remaining from the year 1875.	Filed in the year 1876.	Disposed of on merits.	One Civilian Judge.	One Barister Judge.	One Barister and one Civilian Judge.	One Barister and two Civilian Judges.	Otherwise disposed.	Days of sittings.
Criminal trials ...	...	3	3	...	3	...	...	...	8

No. 15.

Statement showing the nature of the penalties inflicted under the judgment of the High Court.

Penalties.	Appellate Jurisdiction.		Original Jurisdiction.		
	1876.	1875.	1876.	1875.	
Death	90	92			
Transportation for life	16	33			
,, above 7 years and not exceeding 14 years	10	12			
Imprisonment for life	...	...			
,, above 12 years and not exceeding 21 years	3	...			
,, above 5 years and not exceeding 10 years	18	44			
,, not exceeding 5 years ...	170	135			
The average duration of cases in the High Court was 16 days ...	...	...			

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. II.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement of offences reported, and of persons tried, convicted, and acquitted, for each offence, in the districts of the North-Western Provinces in the year 1876.

Description of offences.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
CLASS I.							
OFFENCES AGAINST THE STATE, THE PUBLIC, AND JUSTICE.							
Against the State.							
Waging war against the Queen, 121	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Collecting arms or concealing attempt to wage war, 122, 123 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
War or depredation on allied powers, 125 to 127	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Abetment of mutiny, Mutiny Act, 131, 132	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Relating to Coin, Stamps, Weights and Measures.							
Counterfeiting coin, 231 to 238, ...	20	34	8	21	...	5	
Diminishing or altering coin, 248 to 249	6	5	...	5	...	...	
Passing or possessing bad or altered coin, 239 to 243 and 250 to 254,	116	110	35	73	...	2	
Counterfeiting stamps or selling same, 255 to 259	4	5	3	2	...	...	
Using as genuine counterfeit stamps or effacing or altering same, 260 to 263	13	17	9	8	...	...	
Making, using, or possessing false weights or measures, 264 to 267,	164	223	81	142	...	...	
Against Public Justice.							
Personating public servant or soldier, 140, 170, 171	24	22	7	14	...	1	
Concealing design to commit offence, 118 to 120	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Omitting to give information of offence, or giving false information, 176, 177, 181, 182, 202, 203	1,111	1,416	336	1,075	1	4	
Causing disappearance of evidence, 201 and 204	26	57	36	16	...	5	
Resisting or obstructing or omitting to assist public servant, 183 to 187, 189, 190	585	1,521	462	1,050	...	9	
Disobedience of lawful order, causing injury, 188	714	1,801	390	1,376	1	34	
Intentional insult or interruption in judicial proceeding, 228 ...	359	424	19	393	12	...	

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CLASS I.—(*concluded.*)							
Harbouring an offender, 212, 216	30	74	39	35	...	...	
Taking gift to screen offender, 213 to 215	131	230	108	112	...	...	
Resistance to lawful apprehension and rescue, 224, and 225 ...	122	279	73	195	5	6	
Escape from lawful custody or transportation, 224, to 226... ...	86	109	14	90	3	2	
Absconding from, avoiding, or disobeying summons, or notice, or order, to attend or produce or refusing to answer or sign, 172 to 175 and 178 to 180	706	1,467	398	1,068	1	...	
Failure to attend as juror or assessor, C. P., 414	2	2	...	2	...	...	
By Public Servants.							
Taking valuable thing by, or to influence, public servant, 161 to 165,	164	238	102	133	...	3	
Public servant acting illegally to injure any person, 166, and 167 ...	23	33	10	23	...	...	
Ditto unlawful trading, 168 and 169	2	4	4	...	...	...	
Ditto fraudulently defeating punishment or forfeiture, 217 and 218	9	14	3	11	...	...	
Ditto wilfully making order or decision contrary to law, 219, and 220	1	...	...	...	...	...	
Ditto intentionally omitting to apprehend, or permitting to escape, 221, and 222	10	13	2	9	...	2	
Ditto negligently suffering escape, 129, 223	57	57	7	50	...	...	
Breach of Police Act by Police Officers	150	190	27	162	...	1	
False evidence, false complaints or claims, and forgery.							
Giving false evidence, 193 to 196	418	705	259	399	13	34	
Fabricating false evidence, 193 to 196	28	32	8	24	...	...	
Making, issuing, or using false statement or certificate, 197 to 200,	7	7	4	3	...	...	
False personation in judicial proceedings, 205 to 229	23	30	5	23	1	1	
Fraudulent claim to, or concealment of property, or suffering of decree, 206 to 208, 421 to 424	33	57	18	39	...	...	
False claim in Court of Justice, 209, 210	26	26	6	20	...	...	

Ditto charge of offence, 211	340	363	123	257	...	18
Frivolous or vexatious complaint, C. P., 469	504	591	2	589	...	...
Forgery, or fraudulently using, or possessing forged document, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 471, 478 to 477	90	143	84	38	2	19
Making or using false trade marks, 482 to 489	7	7	3	1	...	3
Public Nuisances.						
Public nuisances under Penal Code, 269 to 294	941	2,181	337	1,826	17	1
Nuisances under Police, or Municipal and Local Acts	4,338	9,090	568	8,494	4	4
Relating to the Public Peace.						
Rioting or unlawful assembly 143 to 153, 157, 158	366	2,771	532	2,074	1	164
Omitting to inform of, or prevent riot, 154 to 156	6	34	...	34	...	...
Affray, 160	533	2,322	359	1,963	...	...
Offences relating to religion, 295 to 298	51	81	50	30	1	...
CLASS II.						
OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON.						
MURDER, 302-303. By thags	...	...	...	...	...	...
MURDER, 302-303. By dakoits	1	15	...	12	...	3
MURDER, 302-303. By robbers	12	34	17	14	...	3
MURDER, 302-303. By poison — For sake of robbery	3	7	4	3	...	...
MURDER, 302-303. By poison — From other motives	21	39	14	22	...	3
MURDER, 302-303. Other murders — From motives connected with women ...	52	127	36	75	3	14
MURDER, 302-303. Other murders — From other motives ...	199	374	93	192	5	84
Attempt to murder, 307	67	85	32	37	1	15
Culpable homicide 304 to 308	233	585	146	317	2	90
Abetment of suicide, 305 to 306	...	...	...	...	...	...
Attempt to commit suicide, 309	1,016	779	166	603	2	8
Causing miscarriage, 312 to 316	38	88	37	24	3	14
Exposure of infant, or concealment of birth, 317, 318	138	155	38	92	6	20
Grievous hurt, 325, 326	1,227	1,941	467	1,428	4	42
Ditto on grave and sudden provocation, 335	57	97	17	80	...	...
Hurt, 323 to 334	22,680	13,587	6,250	7,247	6	84
Ditto by dangerous weapons, 324	206	190	57	119	7	7
Administering stupefying drugs, 328	40	36	9	19	...	8
Causing hurt to extort property or confession, 327, 329 to 333 ...	43	79	32	36	...	11
Act dangerous to life or safety, 336, 337	25	31	8	23	...	...
Wrongful restraint, 341	1,025	895	536	352	...	7
Ditto confinement, 342 to 346	319	255	194	59	1	1
Ditto to extort property or confession, 347, 348	13	31	11	9	...	11
Assault or use of criminal force, 352, 355, 358	8,364	10,769	5,568	5,158	11	32
Criminal force to deter a public servant, 353	30	74	22	48	...	4
Assault or use of ciminal force to a woman, 354	46	33	11	21	...	1

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Description of offences.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks
CLASS II.—(*concluded*)							
Criminal intimidation or insult, 504 to 509	476	512	261	248	...	3	
Causing annoyance in state of intoxication, 510	24	43	2	41	...	...	
Unlawful compulsion of labour, 374	17	13	4	9	...	...	
Buying or disposing of any person as a slave, 370, 371	3	4	4	...	...	...	
Kidnapping or abduction, 363 to 365, 367 to 369	165	294	102	157	9	26	
Abducting a woman to compel marriage or for defilement, 366 ...	28	73	11	44	3	15	
Causing death by rash or negligent act	2	2	1	1	...	...	
Selling, letting, or unlawfully obtaining a woman for purposes of prostitution, 372, 373	29	64	6	39	8	11	
Enticing a married woman with criminal intent, 498	1,872	1,606	1,145	442	3	18	
Fraudulent and unlawful marriages, 493 to 496	134	117	95	14	...	8	
Adultery, 497	106	103	72	25	1	5	
Rape, 376	297	208	107	71	2	28	
Unnatural offences, 377, ...	111	104	82	43	...	29	
Defamation, 500 to 502	210	200	123	73	...	4	
CLASS III.							
OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY WITH VIOLENCE.							
Dacoity, 395, 397, 398	64	452	75	363	4	110	
Ditto, 396	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Preparation or assembly for *Dacoity*, 399 to 402	3	21	...	16	4	1	
Robbery with hurt or deadly weapon — By poison or stupefying drugs, 394, 397, 398	6	6	...	...	6	...	
Robbery with hurt or deadly weapon — By other means, 394, 397, 398	64	83	15	66	...	2	
Robbery ... — In a dwelling-house	23	26	15	11	...	...	
Robbery ... — On the highway	26	50	30	16	4	...	
Robbery ... — Elsewhere	189	193	80	101	...	12	
Extortion, 384 to 389	838	461	320	138	1	2	
House-breaking or house-trespass in order to commit theft, 451, 454, 457	26,360	3,586	729	2,737	18	102	

House-breaking or house-trespass in order to commit an offence other than theft, 449, 450, 451, 454, 457	843	199	38	106	...	...
House-breaking or house-trespass with preparation for, or attempt at, hurt, 452, 455, 458, 460	61	75	18	53	...	4
House-breaking or lurking house-trespass, 452, 455, 458 ...	1,779	219	58	155	...	6
Without violence						
Theft of cattle ... } 379, 380, 381	3,306	1,570	424	1,108	3	25
Theft ordinary ... }	30 668	14 432	2,983	11,256	59	154
Theft after preparation for causing death, 382	1	1	1	...	...	...
Dishonestly receiving stolen property, 411 to 414	4,275	6,414	1,441	4,784	43	134
Dishonest misappropriation of property, 403, 404	548	597	208	384	3	2
Criminal breach of trust, 406 to 409	857	684	308	356	7	15
Cheating, 417 to 420	844	734	298	305	14	16
Dishonest execution of deed of transfer, 423	...	...	...	...	..	..
Sale of obscene books, 292	1	..	...	...	...	...
Malicious Offences.						
Mischief, ordinary, 426, 427, 430 to 433	6,700	6,345	3,561	2,742	...	42
Ditto by poisoning or killing cattle, 428, 429	245	234	106	126	...	2
Ditto by destroying landmarks, 434	91	36	21	15	...	...
Serious mischief by fire, 435, 436 to 438	376	132	81	32	1	18
Criminal trespass or house-trespass, 447, 448	4,141	4,316	2,267	2,018	1	30
Breaking closed receptacle, 461, 462	6	2	...	2	...	...
CLASS IV.						
NOT INCLUDED IN THE ABOVE CLASSES.						
Belonging to a gang of thags, 311	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto ditto *Dacoits*, 400	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto ditto thieves, 401	...	4	3	...	...	1
Vagrancy without ostensible means of livelihood, C. P. C., 504 ...	289	496	138	344	12	2
Bad habit and repute, C. P. C., 505, 506	507	1,040	230	772	6	32
Criminal breaches of contracts of service, 490 to 492	23	41	19	22	...	...
Attempt to commit offences, 511	3,381	196	65	124	2	5
Abetment, 511	422	88	17	71	...	...
BREACHES OF SPECIAL LAWS FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE REVENUE, OR ON OTHER SUBJECTS, THE ACTS BEING SPECIFIED.						
Breaches of laws relating—						
To excise on sprits and drugs, Act XXI., 1856	1,169	1,716	322	1,390	...	14
„ ditto opium	220	300	52	246	...	2
„ Salt and saltpetre, Act XXXI. of 1851, Act XIV. of 1849 ...	951	1,542	89	1,445	...	8

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. II.—(CRIMINAL)—(*concluded.*)

Statement of offences reported, and of persons tried, convicted, and acquitted, for each offence, in the districts of the North-Western Provinces in the year 1876.

Description of offences.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	Remaining under trial.	REMARKS.
CLASS IV.—*(concluded).*							
To sea and land customs, Act XVII. of 1861	11	15	1	14	...	...	
„ Stamp Act XVII of 1869	117	248	35	212	1	...	
„ Paper Currency Act XIX. of 1861 and Act. I. of 1862 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ Mint Act XIII of 1866	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ Post-office Act XIV. of 1866	27	30	8	21	...	1	
„ Electric Telegraph Act VIII of 1860	10	11	4	7	...	...	
„ Payment of Watchmen, Act XX. of 1856	23	29	4	24	...	1	
„ Municipalities, Act VI. of 1868	6,333	10,832	1,897	9,432	...	3	
„ Jails, Act VIII. of 1863	38	43	2	41	...	...	
„ Forests, Act VII of 1865	1	34	1	32	...	1	
„ Ferries, Regulation VI. of 1819	10	30	19	11	...	...	
„ Canals Act VII. of 1845	3,348	7,249	1,271	5,974	4	...	
„ Railways, Acts XVIII. of 1854 and LII. of 1860	261	365	58	303	1	4	
„ Tolls Act VIII of 1851	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ Stage Coaches, XVI. of 1861	34	43	17	26	...	...	
„ The Press, Act XXV. of 1867	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ Gaming and Lotteries, Act III. of 1867	239	1,298	149	1,149	...	...	
„ Wandering and dangerous lunatics	1	1	...	...	...	1	
„ Cattle-trespass, Act III. of 1857	1,143	1,462	511	951	...	...	
„ Possession of Arms, Act XXXI. of 1860	213	284	63	220	1	...	
„ Foreigners, Act III of 1864	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ Emigration, Act XIII. of 1864	28	65	11	54	...	...	
„ Criminal Tribes	10	20	3	17	...	...	
„ Contempt of Court, C. P. C., 435 and 436	7	7	...	7	...	...	
„ Purchase of Government property and of soldiers ...	1	1	...	1	...	...	
„ Paraos and sarais	1	1	...	1	...	...	
„ Proceeding to compel payment of penalty by accused, C. P. C., 396	21	32	1	31	...	...	
Ditto by sureties, 397, ...	40	75	5	70	...	...	
„ Personal recognisance to keep the peace, 489, 490	602	1,816	273	1,538	4	...	
„ Security to ditto, 490, 491	529	2,318	477	1,829	...	12	

„ Default to enter into bond, forfeiture of recognizance, 497 ...		10	85	...	85	...	...
„ Breach of the peace, 530 and 491		97	360	73	287	...	...
„ Maintenance to wife and children, 536		324	183	107	75	...	1
„ Proceeding connected with disputed land or water, 530 ...		99	172	80	88	...	4
„ Security for good behaviour, 505		492	878	228	616	3	21
„ Breach of Pound Act I. of 1871		37	57	17	40	...	...
„ Restoration of forfeited property, C. P. C., 173	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Breach of sections 92 and 94, Act X. of 1872		27	47	11	36	...	...
Penalty for non-appearance of party under bail, 398, Act X. of 1872...		171	582	81	498	...	3
Lock Hospital Rules, Act XXIII. of 1868		96	155	2	153	...	...
License Tax	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Breach of Act V. of 1861		1,024	1,689	96	1,592	...	1
Infanticide Act VIII. of 1870		376	630	96	534	...	...
Breach of Laws relating to Pleaders		2	2	...	2	...	...
Eunuchs, Act XXVII. of 1875		9	20	6	14	...	...
Breach of contract by workmen...		3	7	6	1	...	...
Escape from custody...		3	3	...	3	...	...
Obstruction dangerous to human life, 518, C. P. C.	...	...	...	...	...	..	...
Forcibly opposing the seizure of cattle, Act X. of 1871... ...		85	63	18	45	...	...
Breach of duties of village and road policemen, Act XVI. of 1873 ..		554	749	78	667	...	4
Neglect of duty, Act XX. of 1856		10	11	...	11	...	...
Refusing to deliver up uniform, 28, Act V. of 1861	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Breach of Registration Act		7	13	...	13	...	...
Adulteration of food or drink, 272, I. P. C.		1	1	...	1	...	...
Breach of laws relating to recruits, section 2, Act VII. of 1872 ...		1	1	...	1	...	...
Infringement of rules sanctioned by Government, 22 of 1864 ...		774	1,194	102	1,089	3	...
Breach of section 85 of the Mutiny Act, V. of 1875		1	2	...	2	...	...
Total		158,623	139,863	39,682	98,088	363	1,730

NOTE.—Persons convicted and remaining under trial do not correspond with general statement No. 1, because some districts have included the committed persons in the columns of convicted, while others have excluded them from this column and included them with persons whose cases were remaining under trial.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. III.—(CRIMINAL).

Statement showing the general result of criminal trials in the tribunals of various classes in the districts of the North-Western Provinces in the year 1876.

Class of Tribunal.	Number of persons dealt with.							Persons disposed of.								
	Remaining at end of last year	*Brought to trial during present year.*				Received by transfer.	Total.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped, or transferred	Remaining at end of year.	Average number of days during which each case lasted.	Number of witnesses who attended.	Remarks.
		Under arrest by police.	Upon warrant.	On summons.	Voluntarily.											
1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6	7.	8	9.	10.	11.	12	13	14.	15.	16.	17.
Village Officers.																
Unpaid Magistrates	34	5,486	381	11,665	440	14	18,020	3,011	2,151	12,754	30	16	58	5	27,073	
Local and Subordinate paid Magistrates ...	130	13,077	1,069	29,499	2,734	64	46,573	7,158	5,504	33,320	377	92	122	6	82,317	
Full power Magistrates exercising throughout the district	836	33,914	3,390	27,905	2,256	669	68,970	10,565	9,915	45,276	2,097	226	891	7	174,198	
Chief Magistrates of districts	35	3,795	408	2,046	300	144	6,728	707	653	4,877	367	69	55	6	15,875	
Total, Magistracy ...	1,035	56,272	5,248	71,115	5,730	891	140,291	21,441	18,223	96,227	2,871	403	1,126	6	299,463	
Sessions Court	182	2,075	105	24	36	183	2,605	30	592	1,727	74	11	171	36	11,560	
High Court	...	3	...	...	...	...	3	...	2	1	...	...	..	3	42	
Grand Total ...	1,217	58,350	5,353	71,139	5,766	1,074	142,899	21,471	18,817	97 955	2,945	414	1,297	45	311,065	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. IV.—(Criminal).

Statement showing the punishments inflicted by various criminal tribunals in the districts of North-Western Provinces, in the year 1876.

Class of Tribunals.	PERSONS SENTENCED TO												PERSONS ORDERED TO FIND OR GIVE		
	Death.	Transportation.		Penal servitude.	Imprisonment.			Forfeiture of property.	Fine.		Whipping.		Security of the peace.	Recognizance.	Sureties for good behaviour.
		For life.	For a term.		Rigorous		Simple.		With imprisonment.	Without imprisonment.	In addition to other punishment	In lieu of other punishment.			
					With solitary confinement.	Without solitary confinement.									
By village Officers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
By unpaid Magistrates	...	...	...	...	...	935	53	...	147	11,323	20	150	13	21	34
By sub-local paid Magistrates	...	...	...	...	11	5,003	283	...	1,199	25,999	81	857	...	4	...
By full power Magistrates of general jurisdiction ...	...	...	2	...	83	13,770	775	...	2,029	19,615	465	3,441	1,050	2,673	1,401
By Chief Magistrate of district	...	...	...	...	10	1,280	93	...	230	1,817	63	231	193	346	324
By Sessions Court	114	174	64	...	26	1,249	16	3	132	11	4	16	...	...	2
By High Court	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	114	174	66	...	130	22,238	1,220	3	3,737	58,765	634	4,695	1,256	3,044	1,761

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. IV.—(CRIMINAL.)—*(concluded).*

Statement showing the punishments inflicted by various criminal tribunals in the districts of North-Western Provinces, in the year 1876.

Class of tribunals.	DETAIL OF PUNISHMENT.																						
	FINES.									IMPRISONMENT.										WHIPPED.		
										15 *days.*		6 *months.*		2 *years*		7 *years.*		*Above 7 years.*				
	Rs. 10 and under.	Rs 50 and under.	Rs. 100 and under.	Rs 500 and under.	Rs. 1,000 and under.	Above Rs. 1,000.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple	Rigorous.	Simple.	10 stripes and under.	20 stripes and under.	30 stripes and under
By village Officers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
By unpaid Magistrates	11,235	286	...	...	...	...	23,506	22,123	1,594	308	45	722	21	98	...	...	...	...	...	59	94	17
By sub-local paid Magistrates	25,959	1,221	20	5	...	...	89,945	82,80	4,4 4	2,299	167	3,635	142	16	...	...	...	...	...	467	359	110
By full power Magistrates of general jurisdiction	17,447	3,621	357	163	6	1	2,26,174	1,64,429	11,715	1,086	363	9,097	575	5,865	27	49	...	...	...	930	1,659	1,198
By Chief Magistrate of districts	1,610	351	65	16	6	...	29,790	18,107	1,457	83	59	803	88	612	1	78	...	...	...	176	272	156
By Sessions Court	18	76	25	22	3	2	19,369	7,820	3,403	1	1	134	11	319	7	836	...	125	1	6	6	5
By High Court	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	56,269	5,555	467	206	15	3	3,88,784	2,95,277	22,583	3,777	635	14,591	767	6,911	35	933	...	125	1	1,658	2,393	1,586

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. V. —(CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing the result of Appeals and Revisions in Criminal cases in the districts of the North-Western Provinces during the year 1876.

Tribunal.	Number of appellants or persons applying for revision under section 297, C. C. P.	Number of persons.								Remarks.
		Appeals or applications rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences modified.	Sentences reversed	Proceedings quashed	Further inquiry or evidence ordered.	Cases referred for revision to High Court.	Pending.	
To Magistrates of Distr.cts. { Appeals from unpaid Magistrates,	397	21	232	55	78	...	6	...	5	
{ Appeals from paid Magistrates,	2,688	342	1,254	356	601	3	60	10	43	
To Sessions Courts { Appeals from unpaid Magistrates,	22	1	13	4	4	...	...	...	...	
{ Appeals from paid Magistrates,	4,109	812	2,032	391	552	36	22	80	184	
High Court	1,421	240	688	307	112	27	18	...	29	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. XI.

Statement showing use of Juries and Assessors in the Civil and Criminal Courts of the North-Western Provinces in the year 1876.

Classes in Courts in which jurors or assessors are employed, distinguishing Criminal from Civil Courts.	Established or average number of jury or assessors in each case and prescribed qualification.	Number of cases tried by jury.	Number of cases with assessors.	Jury Trials.		Assessors' Trials.		Note showing in what classes of cases juries and assessors have been principally employed.	Remarks.
				Cases in which the Judge approved of the verdict.	Cases in which the Judge did not approve of the verdict.	Number of cases in which Judge agreed with assessors.	Number of cases in which Judge differed from assessors.		
Sessions Judges' Courts, North-Western Provinces ...	Assessors 3 / Jurors 1	1	1,167	1	...	1,013	154	...	
High Court, North-Western Provinces.	9	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	

GOVERNMENT 1878 N.W.P.

NOTE ON THE CRIMINAL STATEMENTS FOR 1877.

THE effects of the scarcity which prevailed during a great part of the year under review are seen in the great increase in the number of reports of offences and prosecutions.

2. One hundred and eighty-six thousand two hundred and fifty-four offences were reported during the year, 87,007 were prosecuted, and 158,779 persons were under trial. Of these persons 40,292 were acquitted or discharged, and 116,488 were convicted or committed for trial. From the year 1872 to the year 1876 the largest number of persons under trial in any year was 142,521.

3. There was a general increase throughout the provinces in the number of offences reported, except in the districts of Dehra Dún, Mainpuri, Etáwah, Jaunpur, and Garhwál, where there was a slight decrease. The increase is principally under the heads of house-breaking with intent to commit theft and simple theft.

Offences under the Municipal Acts and under section 34, Act V. of 1861 increased, owing to the more stringent enforcement of the provisions of the law.

One thousand six hundred and thirty-five persons were awaiting trial at the close of the year.

4. The corresponding results in 1874, 1875, and 1876 are shown with those of 1877 in the following table :—

Year.	Reported.	Prosecuted.	Under trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted, committed.	Undisposed of.
1874	148,176	74,048	134,159	37,073	96,673	1,240
1875	154 578	76,519	142,121	38,859	104,394	1,035
1876	156,623	76,937	139,863	39,682	98,722	1,126
1877	186,254	87,007	158,779	40,292	116,488	1,635

5. The number of persons awaiting trial in the criminal courts at the close of the year increased from 1,126 to 1,635. The heaviest pending file (179) was in the district of Sháhjahánpur, the next heaviest (120) is found in Etáwah, and the next (106) in Bulandshahr. The Magistrate of Sháhjahánpur states that the cases of most of these men were only reported during the Christmas vacation. This result is no doubt due to the great increase in the number of persons brought to trial during the year.

6. Of the persons committed to the sessions for trial, 74 per cent. were convicted. Committals were most successful in the districts shown in the margin. They were least successful in the districts of Muzaffarnagar (·57), Garhwál (·58), Benares (·61), Mirzapur (·63), and Dehra Dún and Bánda (·64) respectively.

Kumaun ...	... ·83	Saháranpur ..	... ·80
Etah ...	... ·82	Tarái ...	... ·80
Mainpuri ...	... 82	Jhánsi ...	... ·80
Lalitpur ...	... ·82	Gorakhpur ...	... 79
Basti ...	... ·81	Budaun ...	... ·78
Gházipur ...	... ·81	Cawnpore ...	... ·78

7. The number of culpable homicides amounting to murder, culpable homicides not amounting to murder, grievous hurts, and hurts reported annually during the last six years is shown in the annexed table :—

	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.
Murder	321	354	349	324	288	351
Culpable homicide	293	285	298	274	233	306
Grievous hurt	1,069	1,199	1,186	1,045	1,227	1,375
Hurt	8,725	11,695	14,618	17,077	22,880	28,706

8. The reports of offences against property are exhibited in the following statement :—

	1872.	1873.	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.
Theft	31,189	35,381	30,898	32,047	30,608	47,592
Robbery	391	470	433	378	308	466
Dacoity	83	118	131	41	64	196
House-breaking for theft ...	19,771	23,433	22,941	27,379	26,360	34,005

The proportion of prosecutions to the number of offences reported was under the head of theft ·56, and under that of house-breaking to commit theft ·12. There is still room for improvement.

9. Three hundred and thirty-seven cases of infanticide were reported as having occurred in 1877 as against 376 in the previous year; 3,338 persons were brought to trial for offences against the revenue laws, and 5,462 for offences punishable under the Municipalities Act; 4,495 attempts to commit offences were recorded.

10. Three thousand four hundred and twenty-two persons were dealt with under the provisions of the Code of Criminal Procedure for keeping the peace, and 267 persons were reported as vagrants, having no visible means of livelihood. It is observed that there was a decrease compared with the year 1876 of 121 persons in the number (1,658) required to find security for good behaviour.

11. The second general statement shows the working of the courts of the Magistrates in the provinces during the year under review.

One thousand one hundred and twenty-five persons were awaiting trial from the previous year, 85,310 were arrested, and 71,940 were summoned before the Magistrates, making in all, with 984 transferred for trial from other parts of India, a total of 159,359 persons for disposal, against a total of 140,291 persons in the previous year.

12. These persons were disposed of as follows :—

Discharged without trial	20,914
Acquitted	19,370
Convicted, including committed	116,932
Died, escaped, or transferred	508
Awaiting trial at the end of the year	1,635

Of the latter, 1,245 were in custody and 390 on bail or recognizance at the end of the year.

13. The results of the year under review and of the three previous years are shown as follows :—

	1874.	1875.	1876.	1877.
Discharged	19,592	22,131	21,441	20,914
Acquitted	17,400	16,681	18,223	19,370
Convicted, including committed	96,090	102,899	99,098	116,932
Died, escaped, or transferred	417	235	403	508

14. The percentage of persons discharged without trial in the year 1877 is the same as in the three previous years, viz. 15.

An excessive number of persons were discharged without trial in the following districts :—

	Discharged without trial.
Muzaffarnagar	1,498
Agra	1,015
Allahabad	1,392
Benares	2,592

Due notice has been taken of this in the review of the annual reports, and Magistrates have been enjoined to examine the prosecutor carefully, and not to issue summonses without being satisfied that there are reasonable grounds for believing that the complaint is correct.

15. The proportion of persons acquitted to those disposed of was ·12, as compared with ·14 in the previous year. The increased proportion of convictions is probably due to the number of petty thefts which came before the courts in consequence of the famine.

16. The Court is satisfied with the general result of the despatch of criminal business in the past year.

17. Ninety-six cases were pending at the end of the year which had lasted more than six weeks; 23 were in Aligarh, 18 in Hamírpur, 16 in Azamgarh, 15 in Etáwah, 9 in Meerut, 8 in Bánda, 2 in Bijnor, 2 in Jaunpur, and one in each of the districts of Benares and Garhwál.

18. The third general statement exhibits the punishments imposed by the Magistrates during the year. They were as follows:—

Fined	61,827
Imprisoned	29,723
Flogged	11,301
Ordered to find security for good behaviour	1,658
„ to keep the peace	1,118
„ to enter into recognizance	2,304
Imprisoned and fined	3,742
„ flogged	842
Fined and flogged	21
Grand total ...	112,586

The total of the previous year amounted to 96,635.

19. The entire amount of fines imposed during the year was Rs. 3,89,921, of which Rs. 3,00,891, or ·79, were realized, and Rs. 22,944 were paid in compensation to injured parties.

As observed last year, the small amount of fines realized in some districts shows either a want of discretion in imposing fines or a want of energy in realizing them.

20. Of the persons fined, 59,352 were sentenced to fines not exceeding Rs. 10; 5,960 were fined sums not exceeding Rs. 50, 418 persons were sentenced to fines of not less than Rs. 50, and not exceeding Rs 100; and 136 persons were fined in sums ranging from Rs 100 to Rs. 500.

21. Thirty-two thousand one hundred and thirteen persons were sentenced to rigorous, and 1,709 persons to simple imprisonment during the year. The various terms of imprisonment thus inflicted were as follows:—

Imprisonment not exceeding 15 days, 5,720 rigorous and 947 simple; not exceeding six months, 18,028 rigorous and 736 simple; not exceeding 2 years, 8,180 rigorous and 10 simple; and in excess of two years, 133 rigorous and none simple.

22. One thousand four hundred and fifty-seven juvenile and 9,844 adults were flogged; the average number of stripes being 16, and the largest number being 30.

23. One thousand one hundred and seventy-one persons, being ·43 of those called on to find security, to be of good behaviour, and to keep the peace, were imprisoned.

In some districts the provisions of the law for the prevention of crime by requiring suspects to find security for good behaviour have been exercised with great discretion, but in others there is still reason to believe that the amount of security demanded is greater than that which the accused can reasonably be expected to find. The attention of the Magistrates has, where necessary, been directed to this matter.

24. The statistics of punishment inflicted during the last five years are summarized in the annexed tabular statement :—

Year.	Fined.	Imprisoned.	Flogged.	Security for good behaviour.	Security to keep the peace.	Recognizance to keep the peace.	Imprisoned and fined.	Imprisoned and flogged.	Fined and flogged.	Total.
1873 ...	48,088	22,719	6,550	1,683	1,927	2,276	3,114	784	21	87,414
1874 ...	49,844	24,672	7,418	2,202	1,493	2,600	3,634	935	7	92,814
1875 ...	59,261	24,048	6,092	2,351	1,158	3,115	3,602	886	7	100,520
1876 ...	58,754	22,296	5,281	1,779	1,256	3,044	3,605	617	3	96,635
1877 ...	61,827	29,723	11,301	1,658	1,118	2,304	3,742	842	21	112,536

25. The next (fourth) statement shows the number of witnesses who attended the magisterial courts and the period of their detention there; 359,981 witnesses were examined in the year, of whom 338,515 were dismissed by the courts on the first day; of the rest, 19,630 were detained between one and three days, 1,734 were detained above three and less than seven days, and 102 above seven days. Of those last, the Magistrate of Azamgarh was answerable for the detention of 48, the Magistrate of Hamírpur for 32, the Magistrate of Moradabad for 17, and the Magistrate of Muttra for 5.

26. The average duration of cases in the magisterial courts in the year was seven days, which was the same as in the previous year.

The best results were attained in the Dún, where it was two days; in the Tarái, where it was three days; in Meerut, Budaun, and Bánda, where it was four days; and in Etah, Bijnor, Muttra, Allahabad, Benares, and Lalitpur, where it was five days. The duration was high in Garhwál (17 days), in Mirzapur (11 days), Muzaffarnagar, Gházipur, Farukhabad, and Azamgarh (9 days), and in Saháranpur, Bulandshahr, Aligarh, and Gorakhpur (8 days).

This return, and that showing the attendance of witnesses, appeared to the Court to be inaccurately prepared for some districts, and the attention of the District Judges and Magistrates was drawn to the fact, and they were directed to see that the statements were correctly prepared and submitted.

27. The fifth statement shows the result of appeals from Subordinate Magistrates to the Magistrates of districts; 3,109 appeals were preferred, of which 394 were rejected, 1,627 were dismissed, 964 were wholly or partially successful, and 49 remained undecided at the end of the year.

The percentage of successful appeals to the entire number disposed of was ·32, as compared with ·33 in 1876.

28. The seventh statement shows the results of appeals to the Sessions Courts in the provinces: 4,141 persons appealed, being 10 more than in the previous year; 933 appeals were summarily rejected; 2,033 were dismissed, 865 succeeded, and 61 resulted in remands, while 180 remained pending at the close of the year. The percentage of successful appeals in the Sessions Courts was ·23 in 1877, as compared with ·22 in the previous year. The largest number of appeals was made to the Sessions Courts of Benares (383), Moradabad (276), Aligarh (247), and Bulandshahr (234).

The smallest number of appeals was in the Dún and Tarái (15 each), Jhánsi (23), Garhwál (36), and Jalaun (62).

29. The eighth statement shows the details of cases committed to the Sessions Courts during the year 1877 ; 4,492 persons were sent for trial to the Sessions Courts in the year. This total was 1,887 more than in the previous year.

The Sessions Courts disposed of 3,559 of these commitments, convicting 2,665 persons, or ·75 per cent., as compared with ·72 in 1876.

30. Five hundred and twenty persons were awaiting trial at the end of the year.

31. The largest number of commitments was made in the districts of Sháhjahánpur (651), Budaun (3,677), Bareilly (320), Gorakhpur (269), Agra (224), and Etáwah (190).

The fewest commitments were in the districts of Tarái (3), Jhánsi (7), Dehra Dún (8), Kumaun (18), Garhwál (20), Jalaun (46), and Jaunpur (52).

32. The percentage of persons convicted to the number disposed of was highest in the districts of—

Muzaffarnagar and Jalaun	·89
Bijnor	·88
Farukhabad	·87
Budaun and Mirzapur	·86
Gházipur	·85
Bareilly	·81
Saháranpur	·80

The worst results were found in the following districts :—

Jaunpur	·52
Etáwah	·45
Dehra Dún	·38
Garhwál	·35

33. The heaviest pending files at the end of the year were in the courts of the Judges of Bareilly, Budaun, and Basti.

34. Two thousand six hundred and twenty-five persons were punished by the Sessions Judges in 1877, of whom 124 were sentenced to death, 262 to transportation for life, 110 to transportation for a term of years, 1,821 to rigorous imprisonment, 14 to simple imprisonment, 171 to fine with imprisonment, 14 to fine without imprisonment, 40 to whipping in addition to other punishments, and 69 to whipping in lieu of other punishments.

35. The fines imposed by the Sessions Judges during the year aggregated Rs. 30,702, of which Rs. 4,719 only were realized. Sentences of solitary confinement, in addition to imprisonment, were passed on 79 persons, *viz.*, 60 by the Judge of Allahabad, 8 by the Judge of Mirzapur, 4 by the Judge of Gorakhpur, 2 by the Judges of Saháranpur and Cawnpore, and one by the Judges of Agra, Farukhabad, and Benares.

36. One thousand three hundred and forty-two cases were tried with the aid of assessors during the year. The Judges agreed with the assessors in 1,131, and differed from them in 170 cases. As usual, the great majority of the assessors were drawn from the landholding, banking, and trading classes.

37. The cases of 123 persons sentenced by the Sessions Judges to death came before the High Court for confirmation; 97 of these sentences were confirmed by the High Court, 22 were modified, and 4 annulled. The cases of 903 persons came before the High Court in appeal or revision; the Court modified the order or remanded the case in 263 instances, and annulled the sentence in 91. The cases of 495 persons came before the Court under sections 322 and 295 and 296 of Act X. of 1872; the Court confirmed the sentence in 325 instances, modified it in 134, and annulled it in 36.

38. The High Court, in the exercise of Original Criminal Jurisdiction, disposed of nine cases during the year.

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, N.-W. P.;
Allahabad, the 13th July, 1878.

R. J. CROSTHWAITE,
Registrar.

APPENDIX.

Extract from Criminal Report submitted by the Judge of Sahâranpur.

THE Canal Magistrates are officers from whose decisions appeals are but seldom preferred. Judging, however, from such as have come before me, as also from others taken up indiscriminately in review, I regret to say that my opinion is that they are too apt to approach the case with a certain amount of bias in favour of the prosecution. The consequence of which is that sufficient opportunity is not given to the accused for making his defence, nor is he examined in relation thereto to the extent that is desirable. The effect of this is that the real defence comes out sometimes for the first time in the appellate court, which generally necessitates a further investigation, and which is not as it should be.

APPENDIX.

No. 1.

General statement showing the number of offences reported and prosecuted, as well as the number of persons under trial and those whose cases were disposed of during the year 1877, in the Magisterial Courts, North-Western Provinces.

District.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of offences prosecuted.	Number of persons under trial.	Number of persons whose cases were disposed of.		Number of persons whose cases were left undisposed of at the close of the year.	Percentage of persons convicted and committed to those whose cases were disposed of.
				Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted including committed.		
Saháranpur	3,566	2,133	4,069	783	3,208	74	·80
Muzaffarnagar ...	5,588	3,256	5,259	2,192	3,020	39	·57
Dehra Dún	998	929	1,467	521	939	3	·64
Meerut	4,809	3,289	6,431	1,410	4,962	55	·77
Bulandshahr ...	30,401	2,406	4,664	1,188	3,362	106	·74
Aligarh	5,421	2,714	5,514	1,341	4,074	83	·75
Etah	5,111	1,759	3,274	579	2,624	69	·82
Moradabad	10,651	4,265	7,946	1,891	6,026	27	·76
Bijnor	3,887	1,777	3,380	847	2,514	19	·74
Bareilly	9,910	4,107	7,566	2,149	5 341	62	·71
Budaun	7,918	2,899	5,377	1,198	4,138	37	·78
Sháhjahánpur ...	8,320	4,341	7,044	1,660	5,205	179	·75
Agra	8,536	4 882	9,288	2,022	7,146	84	·76
Muttra	3,340	2,027	4,453	1,162	3,265	25	·74
Farukhabad	4,783	3,123	5,367	1,417	3,905	34	·73
Mainpuri	2,738	1,598	3,374	577	2,745	35	·82
Etáwah	3,802	1,798	3,325	825	2,276	120	·73
Cawnpore	7,772	4,005	7,159	1,460	5,621	68	·78
Fatehpur	2,929	1,620	2,868	841	1,994	33	·70
Bánda	3,402	1,949	3,998	1,381	2,573	32	·64
Hamírpur	3,649	1,525	2,577	566	1,964	36	·77
Allahabad	9,286	4,617	8,415	2,227	6,153	33	·73
Gorakhpur	16,321	4,566	7,355	1,519	5,764	71	·79
Basti	7,904	2,456	4,114	748	3,293	63	·81
Azamgarh	10,672	2,472	4,659	1,009	3,525	128	·77
Jaunpur	6,102	2,047	3,311	1,107	2,174	28	·66
Mirzapur	5,503	2,466	4,538	1,673	2,850	13	·63
Benares	6,561	4,613	8,232	3,182	5,018	30	·61
Gházipur	5,549	2,634	5,352	1,007	4,333	7	·81
Kumaun	1,193	1,052	1,834	309	1,516	7	·83
Garhwál	745	219	427	173	248	6	·58
Tarái	444	283	507	98	409	...	·80
Jhánsi	3,615	1,356	2,278	416	1,814	13	·80
Jalaun	1,186	1,085	2,186	584	1,575	20	·72
Lalitpur	1,147	759	1,171	198	914	29	·82
Total of 1877 ...	186,254	87,007	158,779	40,292	116,488	1,635	·74
Total of 1876 ...	158,623	76,937	139,863	39,682	98,722	1,126	·72
District average for 1877,	5,822	2,486	4,536	1,150	3,328	47	·74
District average for 1876,	4,532	2,198	3,996	1,134	2,821	32	·72

Persons whose cases were transferred for trial in other districts or who died or escaped from custody are not shown in this table. Their number is shown in table No. 2.

No. 2.

Statement showing the general results of criminal trials before the various Magisterial authorities in the districts of the North-Western Provinces during the year 1877.

District.	Number of persons dealt with.					Persons disposed of.				Remaining at the end of the year.				
	Remaining at end of last year.	Brought to trial during the year.		Received by transfer.	Total.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted, including committed.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	In custody.	On bail or recognizance.	Number of enquiries by Sub-Magistrates under sects. 135, 180, and Chapter XVI, of the Criminal Procedure Code.	Number of cases pending above 6 weeks at the end of the year.	Percentage of convictions in cases committed.
		By arrest.	By summons or recognizance.											
Sahâranpur ...	42	2,030	1,991	6	4,069	403	380	3,208	4	62	12	...	...	·80
Muzaffarnagar	60	1,044	4,193	...	5,297	1,498	694	3,030	46	34	5	15	...	·94
Dehra Dún ...	7	806	650	4	1,467	464	57	939	4	2	1	...	...	...
Meerut ...	58	2,953	3,417	3	6,431	475	935	4,963	4	34	21	...	9	·87
Bulandshahr ...	108	1,854	2,702	...	4,664	982	206	3,362	5	102	4	17	...	·72
Aligarh ...	59	2,791	2,664	...	5,514	825	516	4,078	12	58	25	...	23	·67
Etah ...	48	2,232	994	34	3,308	285	294	2,624	36	55	14	...	...	·59
Moradabad ...	21	4,049	3,873	3	7,946	795	1,096	6,026	2	15	12	37	...	·69
Bijnor ...	49	1,927	1,398	2	3,376	239	601	2,514	4	16	2	5	2	·88
Bareilly ...	32	4,731	2,803	...	7,566	857	1,292	5,341	7	55	14	61	...	·81
Budaun ...	21	3,457	1,890	9	5,377	490	708	4,138	4	33	4	165	...	·91
Shâhjahânpur,	42	4,498	2,411	93	7,044	995	665	5,111	94	166	13	48	...	·64
Agra ...	40	4,770	4,313	165	9,288	1,075	1,007	7,146	66	37	17	100	...	·75
Muttra ...	2	2,169	2,280	1	4,453	730	432	3,265	1	16	9	...	...	·65
Farukhabad ...	52	3,018	2,287	26	5,383	607	810	3,921	11	28	6	...	1	·94
Mainpuri ...	34	1,868	1,170	302	3,374	154	423	2,745	17	33	2	...	...	·76
Etáwah ...	41	1,891	1,280	113	3,325	264	561	2,276	103	98	28	2	15	·53
Cawnpore ...	12	2,754	4,386	7	7,159	297	1,163	5,621	15	41	22	34	...	·85
Fatehpur ...	10	1,694	1,164	...	2,868	515	326	1,994	...	24	9	1	...	·77
Bánda ...	33	1,580	2,378	7	3,998	564	817	2,577	12	23	9	1	8	·69
Hamírpur ...	9	1,653	898	84	2,644	324	244	2,031	9	31	5	415	18	·82
Allahabad ...	86	3,574	4,755	...	8,415	1,392	835	6,153	2	19	14	16	...	·75
Gorakhpur ...	21	4,847	2,853	5	7,726	656	861	6,135	1	19	52	237	...	·77
Basti ...	34	2,906	1,174	11	4,125	221	527	3,295	19	47	16	10	...	·82
Azamgarh ...	63	2,842	1,749	5	4,659	485	524	3,525	2	101	22	2,408	16	·68
Jaunpur ...	13	1,206	2,092	...	3,311	536	581	2,174	2	13	15	18	2	·62
Mirzapur ...	54	2,177	2,306	1	4,539	689	984	2,850	2	9	4	59	...	·85
Benares ...	22	4,850	3,355	52	8,279	2,592	590	5,065	2	21	9	...	1	·75
Ghâzipur ...	23	3,499	1,819	11	5,352	432	575	4,333	5	4	3	...	...	·85
Kumaun ...	4	1,308	522	...	1,834	175	184	1,516	2	3	4	...	...	·61
Garhwâl ...	4	202	216	5	427	77	96	248	...	...	6	...	1	·35
Tarái ...	...	278	229	...	507	41	57	409	...	...	...	...	...	·66
Jhánsi ...	3	1,650	625	...	2,278	288	158	1,817	2	9	4	...	...	·60
Jalaun ...	13	1,288	857	28	2,186	402	182	1,576	6	19	1	...	...	·89
Lalitpur ...	4	914	246	7	1,171	159	39	937	7	23	6	...	...	·97
Total ...	1,125	85,810	71,940	984	159,859	20,914	19,370	116,932	508	1,245	390	3,697	96	·74

The causes of difference between the figures of this statement and those of No. 1 are that in some districts cases committed and referred to Sessions, included in this statement, are not included in No. 1, and cases transferred from one Court to another in the same district are twice, sometimes thrice, entered in this statement.

No. 3.

Statement showing the degrees of punishment inflicted by the several Magisterial tribunals of the district, North-Western Provinces, during the year 1877.

District.	Number of persons punished.													Detail of sentence; Number of persons.					
			Flogged											Fines.					
	Fined	Imprisoned.	Juveniles.	Adults.	Ordered to find security for good behaviour.	Ordered to find security to keep the peace.	Ordered to enter into recognizance.	Ordered to maintain wife and children.	Ordered to refrain from taking possession of land & water.	Imprisoned and fined.	Imprisoned and flogged.	Fined and flogged.	Total persons punished.	Not exceeding Rs. 10.	Not exceeding Rs. 50.	Not exceeding Rs. 100.	Not exceeding Rs. 500.	Total number of fines.	Total amount of fines.
Sahárunpur ...	1,826	614	33	250	51	1	297	3	17	49	13	...	3,134	1,659	202	9	4	1,875	11,749
Muzaffarnagar ...	2,173	523	18	78	56	17	13	...	...	80	21	...	2,979	2,146	93	10	4	2,253	9,268
Dehra Dún ...	718	137	...	51	...	...	13	...	...	4	3	...	926	692	29	1	...	722	2,152
Meerut ...	3,683	623	62	168	65	58	48	...	...	150	28	...	4,885	3,514	276	31	9	3,833	25,591
Bulandshahr ...	1,900	858	47	60	51	10	179	4	29	151	10	...	3,289	1,523	447	74	7	2,051	23,265
Aligarh ...	2,116	1,066	11	410	81	50	105	...	...	79	60	...	3,958	1,886	267	35	6	2,195	18,481
Etah ...	965	1,107	11	235	17	8	50	...	...	111	31	...	2,535	988	85	3	...	1,076	5,646
Moradabad ...	3,052	1,767	70	533	63	35	135	...	...	232	23	...	5,910	3,131	146	2	4	3,283	11,632
Bijnor ...	1,136	765	24	87	30	31	129	...	...	244	14	...	2,460	1,132	217	27	7	1,383	14,202
Bareilly ...	1,737	2,042	222	567	158	29	129	12	...	114	38	...	5,043	1,574	242	29	5	1,851	16,231
Budaun ...	1,097	1,418	53	615	59	60	24	7	6	102	11	1	3,453	1,384	116	10	4	1,521	9,987
Sháhjahánpur ...	1,855	2,105	108	556	43	108	...	9	8	168	39	10	5 904	1,809	212	10	2	2,033	11,400
Agra ...	4,194	1,680	42	476	237	18	57	3	17	165	45	...	6,929	4,043	295	13	8	4,359	18,370
Muttra ...	1,787	863	45	311	6	...	32	...	...	75	8	...	3,124	1,713	137	2	6	1,861	11,089
Farukhabad ...	1,950	1,337	38	144	44	52	42	...	...	113	40	...	3,759	1,819	231	8	4	2,062	12,911
Mainpuri ...	1,353	709	18	280	23	32	90	...	...	110	7	...	2,622	1,329	124	6	1	1,463	11,488
Etáwah ...	801	636	34	375	73	3	90	...	...	80	25	...	2,117	774	99	7	1	881	6,218
Cawnpore ...	3,961	902	43	273	30	10	83	...	...	103	38	...	5,443	3,809	231	13	10	4,064	18,787
Fatehpur ...	975	625	14	109	13	3	45	...	...	122	12	3	1,921	1,004	91	3	1	1,100	6,685
Bánda ...	1,457	550	35	68	8	120	68	2	12	152	25	...	2,497	1,435	162	7	5	1,609	8,513
Hamírpur ...	917	520	23	172	32	55	43	...	5	87	39	...	1,893	887	107	5	5	1,004	6,704
Allahabad ...	4,228	1,066	64	377	50	37	34	12	16	92	32	...	6,008	3 979	300	18	22	4,320	25,217
Gorakhpur ...	2,549	1,175	93	1,322	142	7	95	12	38	99	49	...	5,581	2,364	285	3	2	2,655	15,896
Basti ...	1,091	870	36	860	30	21	102	...	...	112	46	...	3,168	1,066	138	6	2	1,212	7,053
Azamgarh ...	1,773	803	40	389	44	149	80	2	...	191	63	...	3,534	1,687	224	10	3	1,924	11,943
Jaunpur ...	1,353	468	12	102	43	29	20	...	6	77	6	...	2,116	1,261	154	14	1	1,430	8,880
Mirzapur ...	1,520	789	10	127	76	50	103	3	...	75	11	...	2,764	1,457	127	9	2	1,595	8,629
Benares ...	3,112	1,168	47	209	40	13	14	...	...	273	27	1	4,904	2,954	415	13	3	3,386	18,176
Gházipur ...	3,016	902	121	54	45	93	52	...	...	90	36	...	4,409	2,919	175	10	2	3,105	11,376
Kumaun ...	1,145	184	1	47	24	18	70	...	...	11	5	...	1,505	964	167	21	4	1,156	9,256
Garhwál ...	155	27	3	8	3	15	2	2	...	17	...	...	232	141	27	4	...	172	2,424
Tarái ...	180	103	36	8	26	8	34	1	...	15	1	...	407	173	20	2	1	195	1,525
Jhánsi ...	995	574	1	122	2	1	22	...	...	80	10	...	1,807	1,031	41	3	...	1,075	3,358
Jalaun ...	702	400	42	269	4	6	4	1	...	90	14	6	1,529	738	60	...	...	798	3,847
Lalitpur ...	355	347	10	141	9	1	...	...	...	33	17	...	913	368	18	1	1	388	1,979
Total ...	61,827	29,723	1,457	9,844	1,658	1,118	2,304	73	149	3,742	842	21	1,12,758	59,352	5,960	418	136	65,891	3,89,921

No. 3.

Statement showing the degrees of punishment inflicted by the several Magisterial tribunals of the district, North-Western Provinces, during the year 1877—(concluded).

District.	DETAILS OF SENTENCE; NUMBER OF PERSONS.																		
	Fines.		Imprisoned. Not exceeding.										Flogging.		Persons imprisoned in default of security.	Fines not exceeding Rs. 1,000.	Fines above Rs. 1,000.
			15 days.		6 months.		2 years.		7 years.		Total.						
	Amount realized.	Amount paid to injured parties by compensation.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Rigorous. above 7 years.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Average number of stripes.	Highest number of stripes in any case.			
	Rs.	Rs.														Rs.	Rs.
Saháranpur	9,493	826	29	17	392	17	220	...	1	...	642	34	17	30	19	1	...
Muzaffarnagar	7,940	220	142	11	307	15	148	...	1	...	598	26	16	30	56	...	...
Dehra Dún	2,022	188	20	2	72	...	50	...	...	...	142	2	17	30	4	...	...
Meerut	19,654	731	145	24	369	17	246	...	...	...	760	41	21	30	44	3	...
Bulandshahr	18,121	241	333	25	324	8	329	...	...	...	986	33	19	30	30	...	...
Aligarh	14,843	696	115	9	698	13	368	...	2	...	1,184	21	22	30	45	1	...
Etah	4,216	239	256	27	747	19	200	...	...	...	1,203	46	29	30	6	...	...
Moradabad	10,438	221	432	33	929	32	596	...	...	...	1,957	65	18	30	65	...	...
Bijnor	4,442	266	303	23	394	3	299	...	...	...	996	26	21	30	44	...	...
Bareilly	9,906	326	318	65	1,278	46	480	2	...	...	2,076	113	16	30	88	...	1
Budaun	8,269	518	69	21	665	7	448	...	...	...	1,182	28	18	30	20	...	...
Sháhjahánpur	8,352	3,740	589	80	1,294	26	323	...	...	...	2,206	106	16	30	27	...	...
Agra	14,036	1,704	478	37	1,005	17	353	...	...	...	1,836	54	19	30	39	1	...
Muttra	7,331	22	256	12	418	10	247	...	...	...	921	22	18	30	4	1	2
Farukhabad	10,124	138	302	39	808	33	307	...	...	...	1,417	72	15	30	86	...	...
Mainpuri	9,066	1,526	189	33	412	25	167	...	...	...	768	58	13	30	22	3	...
Etáwah	5,011	705	162	26	411	6	133	...	3	...	709	32	17	30	65	...	...
Cawnpore	14,256	1,413	161	40	527	36	279	...	...	...	967	76	14	30	28	1	...
Fatehpur	5,136	260	134	13	423	26	165	...	1	...	723	39	17	30	14	2	...
Bánda	7,810	762	133	24	436	17	120	...	5	...	694	41	17	30	6	...	...
Hamírpur	5,659	1,157	88	6	423	23	106	...	...	...	617	29	14	30	27	...	...
Allahabad	17,085	439	154	35	556	68	376	1	...	...	1,086	104	16	30	42	1	...
Gorakhpur	15,016	702	75	47	700	37	344	...	74	...	1,193	82	14	30	124	1	...
Basti	5,431	551	145	40	557	38	239	...	...	...	941	78	10	30	27	...	...
Azamgarh	9,195	1,216	125	61	607	36	228	...	...	...	960	97	16	30	23	...	...
Jaunpur	7,952	392	59	57	256	24	152	3	...	...	467	84	16	30	42	...	...
Mirzapur	7,600	210	45	9	582	35	207	...	...	...	834	44	14	30	61	...	...
Benares	14,453	1,069	125	...	861	35	430	1	6	...	1,422	46	16	30	33	1	...
Gházipur	10,364	642	75	31	585	15	193	...	3	...	856	46	15	30	31	...	...
Kumaun	7,036	375	22	9	98	4	61	...	3	...	184	13	20	30	17	...	...
Garhwál	1,769	473	1	...	25	...	18	...	...	...	44	...	18	30	3	...	...
Tarái	1,364	311	1	2	73	1	41	...	...	...	115	3	11	30	15	...	...
Jhánsi	2,770	200	149	56	303	16	127	...	13	...	592	72	18	30	...	...	...
Jalaun	3,395	390	56	19	325	21	79	2	12	...	472	42	15	30	10	...	...
Lalitpur	1,325	75	33	14	228	11	101	1	9	...	363	34	13	30	6	...	...
Total	3,00,891	22,944	5,720	947	18,028	736	8,180	10	133	...	32,113	1,709	16	30	1,171	15	3

No. 4.

Statement showing the number of witnesses who attended the Magistrate's Courts and the period of their detention.

District.	Number of witnesses who attended.	Number of witnesses detained.			Percentage of witnesses detained.		
		Above one day.	Above three days.	Above seven days.	Above one day.	Above three days.	Above seven days.
Sahéranpur ...	10,094	2	6	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarnagar ...	8,778	522	164	...	5	1	...
Dehra Dún ...	2,015	956	29	...	47	1	...
Meerut	11,325	761	81	...	6	...	...
Bulandshahr ...	10,150	518	23	...	5	...	...
Aligarh	11,633	526	40	...	5	...	...
Etah	8,464	146	...	...	1	...	...
Moradabad... ...	17,485	900	111	17	5	1	...
Bijnor	8,417	395	104	...	4	1	...
Bareilly	20,039	1,413	21	...	7	...	...
Budaun	12,815	693	216	...	5	1	...
Sháhjáhanpur ...	15,465	765	2	...	4	...	...
Agra	17,037	590	...	..	3	...	...
Muttra	8,372	48	...	5	...	...	...
Farukhabad ...	14,728	350	84	...	2	...	...
Mainpuri	10,761	498	37	...	4	...	...
Etáwah	7,212	497	28	...	6	...	...
Cawnpore	11,347	274	6	...	2	...	...
Fatehpur	6,914	664	56	...	10	1	...
Bánda	7,773	386	66	...	5	1	...
Hamírpur	7,173	737	100	32	10	1	...
Allahabad	17,932	1,381	60	...	8	...	...
Gorakhpur... ...	18,777	926	58	...	5	...	...
Basti	10,203	202	18	...	1	...	...
Azamgarh	10,389	2,935	250	48	28	2	...
Jaunpur	9,366	180	...	...	1	...	...
Mirzapur	8,450	519	94	...	6	1	...
Benares	9,225	703	...	...	8	...	...
Gházipur	12,368	689	...	...	6	...	...
Kumaun	1,528	...	...	...	...	...	...
Garhwál	836	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tarái	1,063	6	...	...	...	...	...
Jhánsi	4,240	258	69	...	6	2	...
Jalaun	3,656	72	...	...	2	...	...
Lalitpur	2,529	121	11	...	5	...	...
Total ...	338,515	19,630	1,734	102	6	...	...

No. 5.

Statement showing the result of the appeals from the orders of the Assistants preferred to the Magistrates of the districts during the year 1877.

District.	Number of appellants.	Number of persons.					Remarks.
		Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences reversed or modified.	Returned for new trial for further investigation.	Pending.	
Sahárunpur ...	94	17	48	16	5	2	4 transferred to Sessions. 2 referred to High Court.
Muzaffarnagar ...	73	3	38	31	...	1	
Debra Dún ...	2	...	2	...	...	...	
Meerut	186	1	103	82	...	...	
Bulandshahr ...	104	...	85	12	...	7	
Aligarh	241	9	142	78	12	...	
Etah	67	5	39	23	...	...	
Moradabad ...	184	49	77	51	1	6	
Bijnor	91	4	37	50	...	...	
Bareilly	148	14	82	52	...	...	
Budaun	87	24	40	23	...	...	
Sháhjahánpur ...	48	1	35	11	1	...	
Agra	163	51	65	43	4	...	
Muttra	148	3	83	62	...	...	
Farukhabad ...	142	14	89	35	...	4	
Mainpuri	62	...	51	9	2	...	
Etáwah	30	...	15	15	...	...	
Cawnpore	80	20	45	14	1	...	
Fatehpur	75	9	31	35	...	...	
Bánda	63	2	21	38	...	2	
Hamirpur	103	14	57	19	5	8	
Allahabad	62	10	23	28	1	...	1 proceedings quashed.
Gorakhpur ...	123	14	67	35	3	...	4 referred to High Court.
Basti	36	1	18	17	...	...	
Azamgarh	118	48	23	38	...	9	
Jaunpur	108	17	58	17	6	3	7 referred to High Court.
Mirzapur	53	4	32	13	2	...	2 ditto ditto.
Benares	142	4	83	43	8	4	
Gházipur	111	36	49	22	2	...	1 proceedings quashed. 1 referred to High Court.
Kumaun	38	14	19	4	...	1	
Garhwál	18	1	4	11	...	2	
Tarái	9	...	2	7	...	...	
Jhánsi	33	3	14	16	...	...	
Jalaun	59	2	45	12	...	...	
Lalitpur	81	...	6	2	...	...	
Total ...	3,109	394	1,627	964	53	49	22

No. 6.

Statement showing the average number of days during which each case lasted in the Courts of Magistrates of the districts and their Subordinates during the year 1876-77.

District.	Average duration of cases in the Magisterial Courts.					
	For the year 1876.			*For the year 1877.*		
	Year.	Months.	Days.	Year.	Months.	Days.
Sahárunpur	...	...	6	...	...	8
Muzaffarnagar	...	...	8	...	...	9
Dehra Dún	...	...	2	...	...	2
Meerut	...	...	4	...	...	4
Bulandshahr	...	...	8	...	...	8
Aligarh	...	...	9	...	...	8
Etah	...	...	6	...	...	5
Moradabad	...	...	9	...	...	7
Bijnor	...	...	9	...	...	5
Bareilly	...	...	6	...	...	6
Budaun	...	...	4	...	...	4
Sháhjahánpur	...	...	5	...	...	5
Agra	...	...	7	...	...	6
Muttra	...	...	6	...	...	5
Farukhabad	...	...	8	...	...	9
Mainpuri	...	...	6	...	...	6
Etáwah	...	...	6	...	...	7
Cawnpore	...	...	6	...	...	6
Fatehpur	...	...	9	...	...	6
Bánda	...	...	4	...	...	4
Hamírpur	...	...	4	...	...	6
Allahabad	...	...	5	...	...	5
Gorakhpur	...	...	9	...	...	6
Basti	...	...	8	...	...	7
Azamgarh	...	...	10	...	...	9
Jaunpur	...	...	5	...	...	6
Mirzapur	...	...	12	...	...	11
Benares	...	...	6	...	...	5
Gházipur	...	...	8	...	...	9
Kamaun	...	...	6	...	...	7
Garhwál	...	...	20	...	...	17
Taráí	...	...	3	...	...	3
Jhánsi	...	...	5	...	...	
Jalaun	...	...	3	...	...	2
Lalitpur	...	...	6	...	...	5
Average duration	...	...	7	...	...	7

No. 7.

Statement showing the detailed result of Appeals to the Sessions Courts during the year 1877.

I.—Appeals.

District.	Number of appellants	Number of persons.					Remarks.
		Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences reversed or modified.	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending.	
Saháranpur ...	176	1	124	29	7	4	11 referred to High Court.
Muzaffarnagar ...	108	3	86	18	...	1	
Dehra Dún ...	15	1	9	4	1	...	
Meerut	156	52	83	19	...	...	2 referred to High Court.
Bulandshahr ...	234	19	105	105	...	5	
Aligarh	247	132	68	46	1	...	
Etah	96	57	26	10	1	2	
Moradabad	276	14	202	57	...	3	
Bijnor	102	3	72	26	...	1	
Bareilly	112	...	74	30	...	6	
Budaun	91	...	77	12	...	4	
Sháhjahánpur ...	117	17	82	13	1	4	
Agra	97	48	27	22	...	...	
Muttra	79	44	23	11	...	1	
Farukhabad	80	12	61	7	...	...	
Mainpuri	104	19	55	22	3	2	3 proceedings quashed.
Etáwah	81	10	33	21	1	3	13 ditto ditto.
Cawnpore	157	40	52	35	14	5	11 referred to High Court.
Fatehpur	81	25	26	16	5	3	6 ditto ditto.
Bánda	85	22	21	32	...	10	
Hamírpur	57	15	17	14	2	9	
Allahabad	125	17	40	61	2	2	3 ditto ditto.
Gorakhpur	215	48	80	30	2	47	2 proceedings quashed. 6 referred to High Court.
Basti	108	35	14	9	1	45	4 ditto ditto.
Azamgarh	45	13	28	4	...	...	
Jaunpur	79	31	29	16	2	...	1 ditto ditto.
Mirzapur	140	42	66	21	...	11	
Benares	383	78	195	95	11	...	3 ditto ditto. 1 died.
Gházipur	104	4	80	20	...	...	
Kumaun	178	91	58	16	6	6	1 referred to High Court.
Garhwál	36	10	22	3	...	...	1 ditto ditto.
Tarái	15	7	8	...	...	...	
Jhánsi	23	2	9	12	...	...	
Jalaun	62	10	41	10	...	...	1 ditto ditto.
Lalitpur	77	11	40	19	1	6	
Total ...	4,141	933	2,033	865	61	180	69

No. 8.

Statement of the detailed results of commitments to Sessions Court during the year 1877.

II.—Commitments.

District.	Number of persons committed, including those awaiting trial at the end of the last year.	Persons disposed of.		Persons remaining undisposed of at the end of the year	Percentage of persons convicted to total number disposed of.
		Convicted, including those whose sentences were referred for confirmation to the High Court.	Acquitted.		
Saháranpur	62	48	12	2	·80
Muzaffarnagar	45	35	4	6	·89
Dehra Dún	8	3	5	...	·38
Meerut	80	58	19	3	·75
Bulandshahr	106	48	31	27	·61
Aligarh	122	66	32	24	·67
Etah	90	54	27	9	·66
Moradabad	151	101	45	5	·69
Bijnor	61	53	7	1	·88
Bareilly	320	215	49	56	·81
Budaun	367	273	45	49	·86
Sháhjahánpur	(*e*) 651	168	51	31	·77
Agra	(*f*) 224	137	49	36	·74
Muttra	146	92	53	1	·65
Farukhabad	(*a*) 150	138	21	...	·87
Mainpuri	(*g*) 144	99	37	3	·72
Etáwah	(*h*) 190	67	81	31	·45
Cawnpore	189	139	93	27	·85
Fatehpur	73	55	16	2	·77
Bánda	84	45	20	19	·68
Hamírpur	(*d*) 69	31	13	22	·70
Allahabad	185	106	39	40	·72
Gorakhpur	269	209	40	20	·74
Basti	177	92	41	44	·69
Azamgarh	111	48	26	37	·65
Jaunpur	52	27	25	...	·52
Mirzapur	91	65	10	16	·86
Benares	88	51	32	5	·61
Gházipur	92	78	(*b*) 13	1	·85
Kumaun	18	11	7	...	·61
Garhwál	20	7	13	...	·35
Tarái	3	2	1	...	66
Jhánsi	7	3	2	2	·60
Jalaun	46	41	5	...	·89
Lalitpur	1	...	...	1	...
Total ...	4,492	2,665	894	520	·75

(*a*) 1 person was committed in two cases and was capitally sentenced in one case: hence no sentence was passed against him in the other case. Ten persons were tried and sentenced a second time. On remand.
(*b*) 1 died before trial.
(*d*) 3 escaped.
(*e*) 401 transferred.
(*f*) { 1 died. 1 transferred.
(*g*) 5 hanged in other cases.
(*h*) 11 hanged and imprisoned in other cases.

No. 9.

Statement showing the amount of business disposed of by the Sessions Judges during the year 1877

Names of Sessions Judges and Districts.	Commitments. Number of persons. Committed including those awaiting trial at the end of last year.	Convicted and sentenced.	Sentences to death referred for confirmation.	Acquitted.	Remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.	Appeals. Number of persons. Number of appellants.	Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences modified.	Sentences reversed.	Remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.
Allahabad ... H. Lushington, Esq.	185	102	4	39	40	(a)125	17	40	43	18	2
Mirzapur ... J. W. Sherer, „	27	18	1	1	...	28	8	10	...	...	...
Mirzapur ... H. A. Harrison, „	64	44	2	9	16	112	34	56	7	14	11
Azamgarh ... R. S. Saunders, „	2	2	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...
Azamgarh ... H. D Willock, „	109	46	...	26	37	44	12	28	4	...	...
Farukhabad ... G. B. Pasley, „	3	1	2	...	...	6	...	5	...	1	...
Farukhabad ... R. P. Saunders, „	147	121	5	21	..	74	12	56	3	3	...
Gházipur ... J. W. Power, „	66	57	...	8	1	71	2	60	4	5	...
Gházipur ... W. Tyrrell, „	26	21	...	5	...	33	2	20	5	6	...
Benares ... M Brodhurst, „	68	50	1	32	5	(b)383	78	195	43	52	...
Jaunpur ... Ditto „	52	26	1	25	...	(c)79	31	29	14	2	...
Bánda ... W. R. Benson, „	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bánda ... E. B. Thornhill, „	82	43	2	18	19	85	23	21	15	17	10
Hamirpur ... W. R. Benson, „	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Hamirpur ... E B. Thornhil, „	(d) 69	29	2	13	22	57	14	17	...	16	9
Cawnpore ... J. H. Prinsep, „	189	136	3	23	27	(e)157	40	52	13	22	5
Fatehpur ... Ditto „	73	47	8	16	2	(f)81	25	26	6	8	8
Sháhjahánpur ... J. Power, „	(g) 651	153	16	51	31	(u)117	17	62	3	10	4
Bareilly ... G P. Money, „	97	78	4	15	...	58	...	45	7	6	...
Bareilly ... W. Tyrrell, „	223	129	4	34	56	54	...	27	14	3	...
Bareilly ... C. A. Daniell, „	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	6
Budaun ... G P. Money, „	23	17	...	6	...	47	...	43	...	4	...
Budaun ... W. Tyrrell, „	344	254	3	39	49	44	...	34	1	4	...
Budaun ... C. A. Daniell, „	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4
Meerut ... W C. Turner, „	80	54	4	19	3	(h)156	52	83	6	13	...
Meerut ... S. Melville, „											

Bulandshahr	S. Melville,	,,	...	...	106	47	1	31	27	234	19	105	105	...		5
	W. C. Turner,	,,	...	...												
Moradabad	W. C. Plowden,	,,	...	...	10	7	2	1	...	53	2	46	3	3	...	
	G. Palmer,	,,	...	...	6	5	...	1	...	64	1	47	8	8	...	
	W. Lane,	,,	...	...	135	84	3	43	5	159	11	110	24	11		3
Bijnor	W. C. Plowden,	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	1	7	...	2	...	
	G. Palmer,	,,	...	...	7	5	1	1	...	22	...	17	...	5	...	
	W. Lane,	,,	...	...	54	45	2	6	1	70	2	48	8	11		1
Saháranpur	W. G. Probyn,	,,	...	...	14	11	1	2	...	29	1	21	...	7	...	
	W. C. Plowden,	,,	...	...	2	1	...	1	...	(i) 11	...	5	1	...	...	
	H. M. Chase,	,,	...	...	99	73	...	18	8	(j) 259	4	193	13	30		5
Agra	H. G. Keene,	,,	...	...	(k) 370	219	10	102	37	176	92	50	16	17		1
Aligarh	H. M. Chase,	,,	...	...	122	11	...	1	...	247	13	35	3	6	...	
	G. E. Watson,	,,	...	...		68	2	31	24		119	33	26	12	...	
Etah	H. M. Chase,	,,	...	...	90	12	1	3	9	96	4	6	...	1		2
	G. E. Watson,	,,	...	...		38	3	24			53	20	3	7		
Mainpuri	G. E. Watson,	,,	...	...	17	9	...	8	...	47	12	27	1	7		
	W. Young,	,,	...	...	34	23	5	6	...	4	...	2	...	2	...	
	C. J. Daniell,	,,	...	...	(l) 93	61	1	23	3	(m) 53	7	26	6	6		2
Etáwah	G. E. Watson,	,,	...	...	25	12	...	13	...	7	2	3	1	1	...	
	W. Young,	,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	(o) 7	2	1	3	...	...	
	C. J. Daniell,	,,	...	...	(n) 165	49	6	68	31	(p) 67	6	29	10	6		2
Kumaun Division,	Major-General Sir H. Ramsay			...	41	14	6	21	...	(q) 229	108	88	2	17		4
Jhánsi	Col. J. Davidson,			...	2	1	...	1	...	(r) 17	5	9	2	...	..	
	E. G. Jenkinson, Esq.			...	...	...	...	...	...	18	2	11	1	4	...	
	C. A. Daniell,	,,	...	...	49	38	5	6	...	116	15	66	25	10	...	
	H. B. Webster,	,,	...	...	3	...	...	...	3	11	1	4	...	...		6
Gorakhpur	C. A. Daniell,	,,	...	...	71	30	4	37	...	(s) 90	43	22	8	5		6
	R. Walls,	,,	...	...	375	257	10	44	64	(t) 233	40	72	17	9		86
Total			...	...	4,492	2,541	124	894	520	4,141	933	2,033	476	394		180

(a) 2 Returned for new trial.
3 Referred to High Court.

(b) 11 Returned for new trial.
3 Referred to High Court.
1 Died.

(c) 2 Returned for new trial.
1 Referred to High Court.

(d) 3 Escaped.

(e) 14 Returned for new trial.
11 Referred to High Court.

(f) 5 Returned for new trial.
6 Referred to High Court.

(g) 401 Transferred.

(h) 2 Referred to High Court.

(i) 5 Ditto ditto.

(j) 6 Referred to High Court.
8 Returned for new trial.

(k) 2 Died and transferred.

(l) 5 Hanged in other cases.

(m) 3 Proceedings quashed.
3 Referred to High Court.

(n) 11 Hanged and imprisoned in other cases.

(o) 1 Returned for new trial.

(p) 13 Proceedings quashed.

(q) 2 Referred to High Court.
6 Remanded.

(r) 1 Referred to High Court.

(s) 6 Referred to High Court.

(t) 4 Referred to High Court.
3 Returned for new trial.
2 Proceedings quashed.

(u) 1 Returned for new trial.

No. 10.

Statement showing degrees of punishment inflicted by the Sessions Judges during the year 1877.

District.	PERSONS SENTENCED TO												*Persons ordered to find or give*			DETAIL OF PUNISHMENT.																			
		TRANSPORTATION.			IMPRISONMENT.				FINE.		WHIPPING.					FINE.						IMPRISONMENT.										WHIPPED.		
					Rigorous.																	15 days.		6 months.		2 years.		Not exceeding 7 years.		Above 7 years.				
	Death.	For life.	For a term.	Penal servitude.	With solitary confinement.	Without solitary confinement.	Simple.	Forfeiture of property.	With imprisonment.	Without imprisonment.	In addition to other punishment.	In lieu of other punishment.	Surety of the peace.	Recognizance.	Sureties for good behaviour.	Rs. 10 and under.	Rs. 50 and under.	Rs. 100 and under.	Rs. 500 and under.	Rs. 1,000 and under.	Above Rs. 1,000.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	10 stripes and under.	20 stripes and under.	30 stripes.
Saháranpur ...	1	18	21	...	2	43	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	50	...	...	...	...	4	...	7	...	43	...	1	...	...	...	...
Meerut ...	4	4	5	...	...	...	...	...	12	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	1	...	...	1,000	534	...	...	...	...	...	10	..	28	...	3	...	...	1	1
Bulandshar ...	1	2	8	...	...	...	...	...	17	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	16	...	...	1	...	1,500	50	...	...	...	4	...	2	...	29	...	2	...	...	...	...
Aligarh ...	2	5	11	...	...	45	7	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	16	...	29	...	...	...	...	1	1
Etah ...	4	15	8	...	...	32	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	21	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moradabad ...	6	...	...	...	...	64	...	...	29	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	25	2	...	2	...	2,715	103	...	...	...	3	...	36	...	51	...	3	...	1	...	2
Bijnor ...	2	1	...	...	...	48	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	1	...	11	...	37	...	...	...	...	...	1
Bareilly ...	10	27	...	...	...	414	...	2	7	...	17	...	...	...	...	4	3	...	...	...	...	107	...	32	...	...	41	...	147	...	248	...	4	...	...	...	17
Sháhjahánpur ...	16	29	12	...	...	85	...	...	41	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	30	7	3	...	...	2,470	979	825	...	...	1	2	12	...	81	...	17	...	...	...	...
Agra ...	10	43	...	...	1	121	...	...	7	7	1	39	...	...	...	2	6	...	...	3	3	14,700	750	18,120	...	...	10	...	36	...	61	...	23	...	31	4	4

Farukhabad ...	7	22	...	...	1	96	6	...	6	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	300	...	...	...	...	19	3	29	3	30	...	25	...	...	...	1
Mainpuri ...	6	13	2	...	...	76	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	5	1	8	...	52	...	17	...	...	...	...
Etáwah ...	6	2	9	...	...	36	...	...	12	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	9	-	2	2	...	2,600	30	15	...	...	4	1	6	...	35	...	2	...	...	1	...
Cawnpore ...	3	10	6	...	2	82	2	...	6	1	11	6	2	...	...	...	4	...	3	...	...	1,800	208	150	...	...	7	2	46	...	55	...	7	...	3	10	12
Fatehpur ...	5	5	6	...	...	30	4	...	3	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	800	...	50	...	...	...	...	10	...	24	...	6	...	...	1	1
Bánda ...	2	14	...	...	...	24	3	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	100	100	...	...	1	4	2	6	...	14	...	00	...	...	1	...
Hamírpur ...	2	9	1	...	...	14	1	...	3	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	300	300	50	...	...	...	1	2	...	10	...	2	...	...	1	1
Allahabad ...	4	7	...	...	60	[illegible]	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	20	20	...	...	...	5	...	40	...	37	...	10	...	...	...	...
Gorakhpur ...	14	11	12	...	4	252	...	...	8	...	...	6	...	...	...	...	4	2	2	...	...	710	261	...	...	...	27	...	127	...	122	...	00	...	1	...	5
Azamgarh ...	...	2	...	...	...	42		...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	8	...	...	1,000	74	...	...	...	3	...	11	...	23	...	5	...	...	...	...
Jaunpur ...	1	1	3	...	...	[illegible]	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	550	...	...	...	...	2	...	3	1	15	...	1	...	...	...	...
Mirzapur ...	3	11	5	...	8	36	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	250	100	...	...	...	6	...	14	...	24	...	1	...	...	...	1
Benares ...	1	4	6	...	1	[illegible]	...	...	10	...	...	1	...	...	...	7	2	1	...	...	...	210	1,210	1,208	...	...	1	...	13	...	25	...	...	...	...	...	1
Gházipur ...		1	...	...	...	75	...	...	...	...	2	[illegible]	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	15	...	28	...	29	...	3	1	...	2	2
Jhánsi ...	5	5	...	...	...	34	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	16	...	17	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kumaun ...	6	...	...	...	...	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	5	...	5	...	2	...	...	...	...
Total ...	124	262	110	...	79	1,742	14	2	171	14	40	69	2	...	1	17	123	16	19	8	3	30,702	4,719	15,450	...	2	168	12	697	4	1,132	...	134	1	36	22	50

No. 11.

Statement showing the particulars of trials held by the Sessions Judges with aid of Assessors during the year 1877.

Name of district.	Average number of assessors in each case.	Number of cases tried with assessors.	Number of persons of classes employed as assessors.							Number of cases in which Judge agreed with assessors	Number of cases in which Judge differed from assessors.	Number of persons fined for non-attendance.	Amount of fine imposed.	Remarks.
			Pleaders.	Bankers or traders.	Engaged in services	Agriculturists.	Landholders.	Other classes.	Total.					
Saháranpur ...														
Muzaffarnagar ...	3	45	3	52	..	...	65	15	135	30	15	...	...	
Dehra Dún ...														
Meerut ...	3	43	...	40	20	...	50	14	124	36	6	1	10	
Bulandshahr ...	3	24	...	12	12	3	12	4	43	15	9	...	...	
Aligarh ...	3	37	4	38	4	1	63	4	109	35	2	1	...	
Etah ...	3	29	...	25	6	2	46	7	86	27	2	...	...	
Moradabad ...	3	34	...	21	3	...	64	4	92	29	5	...	...	
Bijnor ...	2	16	...	3	1	...	32	...	36	14	2	...	...	
Bareilly ...	3	107	...	140	...	...	160	21	321	81	12	1	2	
Budaun ...	3	106	..	67	...	...	154	3	224	78	5	...	...	
Sháhjahánpur ...	3	100	...	23	7	2	266	...	298	97	3	1	2	
Agra ...	3	47	16	92	12	2	13	8	143	40	7	16	85	
Muttra ...	3	37	2	83	2	2	5	17	111	31	6	6	35	
Farukhabad ...	4	29	...	7	4	...	44	62	117	27	2	...	...	
Mainpuri ...	3	35	...	11	...	...	98	1	105	30	5	2	2	
Etáwah ...	3	38	...	52	11	...	50	1	114	33	5	...	...	
Cawnpore ...	3	104	71	92	52	17	68	...	300	95	9	...	...	
Fatehpur ...	3	32	6	21	9	17	36	...	89	28	3	...	...	
Bánda ...	3	34	2	11	21	1	42	25	102	26	8	5	28	
Hamírpur ...	3	27	3	3	15	...	44	16	81	24	3	...	...	
Allahabad ...	2	64	...	45	8	...	94	9	156	54	10	...	...	
Gorakhpur ...	3	70	...	50	...	...	160	...	210	54	16	...	...	
Basti ...	3	53	...	17	...	...	139	...	156	41	12	...	...	
Azamgarh ...	3	43	...	5	...	...	124	...	129	38	5	6	140	
Jaunpur ...	3	20	7	18	1	...	33	1	60	17	3	...	...	
Mirzapur ...	3	38	...	35	15	34	30	...	114	32	6	...	...	
Benares ...	3	38	...	62	12	...	31	9	114	35	3	...	...	
Ghazipur ...	3	54	...	16	3	1	114	7	141	54	...	1	10	
Kumaun ...	3	10	2	10	1	1	14	2	30	6	4	...	...	
Garhwál ...	3	8	1	11	...	3	6	3	24	6	2	...	...	
Tarái ...	3	3	..	4	...	...	5	...	9	3	...	...	...	
Jhánsi ...														
Jalaun ...	3	15	4	24	..	...	17	...	45	15	...	2	10	
Lalitpur ...														
Total ...	3	1,342	121	1,085	219	86	2,074	233	3,818	1,131	179	42	324	

No. 12.

Statement showing the average number of days during which each trial and appeal lasted in Courts of Sessions Judges during the year 1877.

District.	Trial of committed cases.		Appeals.	
	Number of trials disposed of during the year 1877.	Average number of days during which each trial lasted.	Number of appeals disposed of during the year 1877.	Average number of days during which each appeal lasted.
Saháranpur				
Muzaffarnagar	57	35	184	13
Dehra Dún				
Meerut	43	30	69	37
Bulandshahr	25	68	126	37
Aligarh	41	2	162	12
Etah	39	1	49	12
Moradabad	41	38	154	54
Bijnor	17	39	52	48
Bareilly	107	28	106	19
Budaun	88	29	87	18
Sháhjahánpur	100	45	91	15
Agra	69	22	70	8
Muttra	45	27	45	7
Farukhabad	52	22	54	9
Mainpuri	42	20	60	22
Etáwah	46	57	47	24
Cawnpore	104	28	114	14
Fatehpur	32	30	60	17
Bánda	34	34	43	23
Hamírpur	30	62	26	16
Allahabad	82	29	70	16
Gorakhpur	70	36	142	10
Basti	53	33	49	8
Azamgarh	43	28	31	16
Jaunpur	23	49	53	10
Mirzapur	44	22	83	12
Benares	50	28	343	9
Gházipur	62	24	72	9
Kumaun	10	23	101	14
Garhwál	8	22	28	22
Tarái	3	13	5	15
Jhánsi	4	24	16	12
Jalaun	11	25	35	9
Lalitpur	...	...	52	15
Total	1,475	29	2,607	17

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1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.
		No. of persons whose cases were disposed of by the							
		Old Law.					*New Law.*		
Zila.	Names of Sessions Judges.	Number of persons whose cases were referred to High Court.	Number of persons whose sentence passed agreed with Sessions Judge's recommendation.	Number of persons in which it differed.	Number of persons acquitted by High Court.	Total.	Number of persons sentenced to death referred to High Courts for confirmation.	Number of persons in which sentences of death was passed by Sessions Judge and confirmed by High Court.	Number of persons in which it was modified.
Allahabad ...	H. Lushington, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...
Mirzapur ...	J. W. Sherer, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
	S. S. Melville, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	H. A. Harrison, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	2	1	1
Azamgarh	R. Saunders, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	H. D. Willock, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Farukhabad ...	G. B. Pasley, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	1
	R. Saunders, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...
Ghazipur ...	J. W. Power, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	W. Tyrrell, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Benares ...	M. Brodhurst, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...
Banda ...	W. R. Benson, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	E. B. Thornhill, Esq. ...	1	1	...	...	1	3	2	1
Cawnpore ...	S. S. Melville, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	J. H. Prinsep, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	11	6	5
Shahjahanpur ...	J. Power, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	16	15	1
Bareilly ...	G. P. Money, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	4	2	2
	W. Tyrrell, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	6	4	2
Meerut ...	H. W. Dashwood, Esq ,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	S. S. Melville, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	4	4	...
	W. C. Turner, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
Moradabad ...	W. C. Plowden, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	3	3	...
	W. Lane, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	5	4	1
Saharanpur ...	G. W. Prohyn, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
	W. C. Plowden, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	H. M. Chase, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Agra ...	H. G. Keene, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	10	5	4
Aligarh ...	H. M. Chase, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...
	G. E. Watson, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	...
Mainpuri ...	G. E. Watson, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	W. Young, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	...
	C. J. Daniell, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	7	7	...
Kumaun ...	Major-Gl. Sir H. Ramsay,	...	...	...	...	...	6	5	1
Jhansi ...	A. R. Pollock, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	C. A. Daniell, Esq ...	...	...	...	...	...	5	5	...
	Col J. Davidson ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	J. S. Porter, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	P White, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	G. Adams, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	Capt. J. Quinn ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gorakhpur ...	C. A. Daniell, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	4	3	1
	R. Wall, Esq. ...	...	...	...	...	...	10	6	2
	Total ...	1	1	...	...	1	123	97	22

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11.	12.	13.	14.	15.	16.	17.	18	19.	20.	21.	22.	23.	24.
High Court.			*No. of persons whose cases were appealed or called for on perusal of monthly statements.*				*No. of persons whose cases were submitted under Sections 322 and 295 and 296, Act X. of 1872.*						
Number of persons acquitted by High Court.	Total.	Grand Total.	Number in which order was confirmed.	Number modified or remanded.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Number confirmed.	Number modified.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Percentage of columns 4 and 9 to columns 3 and 8.	Percentage of columns 14 and 18 to totals of columns 17 and 21.	Remarks.
...	4	4	11	16	14	41	26	9	16	51	·100	·40	
...	1	1	11	2	2	15	5	...	...	5	·100	·80	
...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	·100	
...	2	2	5	1	...	6	5	15	6	26	·50	·31	
...	...	...	5	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	·100	
...	...	...	12	5	...	17	10	1	2	13	...	·73	
1	3	3	3	...	...	3	1	1	...	2	·33	·80	
...	4	4	25	32	10	67	13	6	...	19	·100	·44	
...	...	...	13	2	3	18	3	1	...	4	...	·73	
...	...	...	1	...	...	1	4	2	...	6	...	·71	
...	2	2	64	5	...	69	29	3	3	35	·100	·89	
...	...	...	5	...	3	5	3	...	...	3	...	·100	
...	3	4	16	9	...	28	13	6	...	19	·75	·62	
...	...	...	2	1	6	3	...	...	...	...	...	·67	
...	11	11	30	26	20	62	21	12	...	33	·55	·54	
...	16	16	24	46	10	90	24	1	...	25	·94	·42	
...	4	4	31	25	10	66	6	5	...	11	·50	·48	
...	6	6	19	1	...	20	...	...	...	...	·67	95	
...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	·100	
...	4	4	6	9	...	15	46	34	2	82	·100	·54	
...	1	1	19	4	...	23	4	2	...	6	·100	·79	
...	3	3	2	4	2	8	15	4	...	19	·100	·63	
...	5	5	33	...	6	39	16	...	...	16	·80	·89	
...	1	1	4	6	...	10	11	4	1	16	·100	·58	
...	...	...	...	...	2	...	5	...	...	5	...	·100	
...	...	...	25	6	2	83	14	4	...	18	...	·76	
1	10	10	56	15	4	75	9	1	2	12	·50	·75	
...	1	1	12	...	...	12	...	5	1	6	·100	·66	
...	5	5	22	3	3	28	6	11	...	17	·100	·62	
...	...	...	6	11	1	18	1	...	...	1	...	·37	
...	5	5	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	·100	·100	
...	7	7	26	8	...	34	1	...	...	1	·100	·77	
...	6	6	1	5	...	6	5	...	3	8	·83	·43	
...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	·100	
...	5	5	8	2	5	15	4	...	...	4	·100	·68	
...	...	...	8	...	...	8	4	...	...	4	...	·100	
...	...	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	·100	
...	...	...	4	4	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	·50	
...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	·100	
...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	
...	4	4	17	2	...	19	11	1	...	12	·75	·90	
2	10	10	16	12	...	28	9	6	...	15	·60	·58	
4	123	124	549	263	91	903	325	134	36	495	·79	·63	

No. 14.

Statement of business disposed of in the High Court of Judicature at Allahabad in the year 1877—Original side.

	Cases			Before.					
	Remaining from the year 1876.	Filed in the year 1877.	Disposed of on merits.	One Civilian Judge.	One Barrister Judge.	One Barrister and one Civilian Judge.	One Barrister and two Civilian Judges.	Otherwise disposed of.	Days of sittings.
Criminal trials	...	7	7	...	7	...	...	..	14

No. 15

Statement showing the nature of the penalties inflicted under the judgment of the High Court.

Penalties.	Appellate Jurisdiction.		Original Jurisdiction.		
	1876.	1877.	1876.	1877.	
Death	90	98			
Transportation for life	16	27			
Transportation above 7 years and not exceeding 14 years ...	10	12			
Imprisonment for life	...	...			
Imprisonment above 12 years and not exceeding 21 years	3	...			
Imprisonment above 5 years and not exceeding 10 years	18	42			
Imprisonment not exceeding 5 years,	170	190			
The average duration of cases in the High Court was 16 days ...					

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. II.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement of offences reported, and of persons tried, convicted and acquitted, for each offence, in the districts of the North-Western Provinces in the year 1877.

Description of offences.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Died, escaped or transferred.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
CLASS I.							
OFFENCES AGAINST THE STATE, THE PUBLIC, AND JUSTICE.							
Against the State.							
Waging war against the Queen, 121.							
Collecting arms, or concealing attempt to wage war, 122, 123							
War or depredation on allied powers, 125 to 127.							
Abetment of mutiny, Mutiny Act, 131, 132							
Relating to Coin, Stamps, Weights and Measures.							
Counterfeiting coin, 231 to 238 ...	11	22	3	19	...	...	
Diminishing or altering coin, 246 to 249 ...	11	12	1	11	...	...	
Passing or possessing bad or altered coin, 239 to 243, and 250 to 254.	182	165	46	112	...	5	
Counterfeiting stamps or selling same, 255 to 259,	14	17	6	11	...	...	
Using as genuine counterfeit stamps or effacing or altering same, 260 to 263.	5	5	2	3	...	...	
Making, using or possessing false weights or measures, 261 to 267.	272	438	127	305	...	6	
Against Public Justice.							
Personating public servant or soldier, 140, 170, 171,	31	38	5	30	2	1	
Concealing design to commit offence, 118 to 120...	1	...	...	...	...	...	
Omitting to give information of offence, or giving false information, 176, 177, 181, 182, 202, 203.	1,064	1,368	356	999	2	11	
Causing disappearance of evidence, 201 and 204 ...	32	59	22	37	...	...	
Resisting or obstructing or omitting to assist public servant, 183 to 187, 189, 190.	641	1,600	502	1,082	13	3	
Disobedience of lawful order causing injury, 188...	669	1,87a	389	1,461	...	2	
Intentional insult or interruption in Judicial proing, 228	245	281	10	271	...	...	
Harbouring an offender, 212 to 216	38	64	16	30	...	18	
Taking gift to screen offender, 213 to 215 ...	125	168	82	83	1	2	
Resistance to lawful apprehension and rescue, 224, 225.	158	179	46	128	8	2	
Escape from lawful custody or transportations, 224, 226.	62	63	10	50	...	3	
Absconding from avoiding or disobeying summons or notice, or order, to attend or produce or refusing to answer or sign, 172 to 175 and 178 to 180.	580	1,451	244	1,205	...	2	
Failure to attend as juror or assessor C. P., 414.	4	11	...	11	...	...	
By Public Servants.							
Taking valuable thing by, or to influence public servant, 161, 165.	195	247	125	112	2	8	
Public servant acting illegally to injure any person, 166, 167.	24	21	9	12	...	...	
Public unlawful trading, 168 and 169 ...	2	1	1	...	...	...	
Public fraudulently defeating punishment or forfeiture, 217 and 218.	9	10	1	8	...	1	
Public wilfully making order or decision contrary to law, 219 and 220.	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Public intentionally omitting to apprehend, or permitting to escape, 221 and 222	11	22	3	19	...	...	
Public negligently suffering escape, 129 to 223 ...	46	83	27	56	...	...	
Breach of Police Act by Police Officer ...	202	274	41	231	...	2	
False evidence, false complaints or claims and forgery.							
Giving false evidence, 193 to 196 ...	285	542	156	328	19	39	
Fabricating false evidence, 193 to 196 ...	14	27	5	16	...	6	
Making, issuing or using false statement or certificate, 197 to 200.	7	11	3	8	...	...	
False personation in Judicial proceedings, 205, to 229,	21	38	10	21	...	7	
Fraudulent claim to or concealment of property or suffering of decree 206 to 208, 421 to 424.	26	72	36	36	...	...	
False claim in Court of Justice, 209, 210 ...	28	34	6	28	...	...	
Do. charge of offence, 211	267	343	130	207	1	5	
Frivolous or vexatious complaint, C. P., 469 ...	313	371	7	364	...	...	
Forgery or fraudulently using or possessing forged document, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 471, 473 to 477.	105	184	81	83	...	20	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. II.—(CRIMINAL)—(*continued*).

Statement of offences reported, and of persons tried, convicted, and acquitted, for each offence, in the districts of the North-Western Provinces in the year 1877.

Description of offences.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Died, escaped or transferred.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
CLASS I.—(*concluded*).							
Making or using false trade marks, 482 to 489 ...	3	7	3	4	...	...	
Public Nuisances.							
Public nuisances under Penal Code, 269 to 294 ...	716	1,729	241	1,483	1	4	
Nuisance under Police or Municipal and Local Acts.	5,514	11,804	770	11,020	9	5	
Relating to the Public Peace.							
Rioting or unlawful assembly, 143 to 153, 157, 158,	407	2,944	543	2,294	11	96	
Omitting to inform of, or prevent riot, 154 to 156,	6	24	1	23	...	...	
Affray, 160	598	2,445	331	2,113	1	...	
Offences relating to religion, 295 to 298 ...	49	58	29	26	...	3	
CLASS II.							
OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON.							
Murder 302 and 303. By thags	...	...	...	...	...	...	
By dakaits	8	63	17	30	...	16	
By robbers	13	17	1	15	...	1	
By poison ... For sake of robbery ...	8	8	2	6	...	...	
By poison ... From other motives ...	10	15	1	11	...	4	
Other murders, From motives connected with women.	33	74	19	50	...	5	
Other murders, From other motives ...	279	601	102	361	5	133	
Attempt to murder, 307	70	89	17	52	...	20	
Culpable homicide, 304 to 308... ...	306	696	160	375	9	152	
Abetment of suicide, 305 to 306	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Attempt to commit suicide, 309	1,077	805	172	622	6	5	
Causing miscarriage, 312 to 316	38	73	42	26	2	3	
Exposure of infant or concealment of birth, 317, 318.	185	175	33	122	2	18	
Grievous hurt, 325 326	1,375	2,127	515	1,547	2	63	
Ditto ungrave and sudden provocation, 335 ...	44	72	18	53	...	1	
Hurt, 323 to 334	28,706	13,113	5,652	7,380	25	56	
Ditto by dangerous weapons, 324	244	223	48	175	...	...	
Administering stupefying drugs, 328 ...	33	51	17	26	...	8	
Causing hurt to extort property or confession, 327, 329 to 333.	47	180	33	138	...	9	
Act dangerous to life or safety, 336, 337 ...	27	41	14	25	...	2	
Wrongful restraint, 341	902	711	387	322	...	2	
Ditto confinement, 342 to 346	365	313	220	91	2	...	
Ditto to extort property or confession, 347, 348.	14	19	15	4	...	...	
Assault or use of criminal force, 352, 355, 358 ...	8,249	10,566	5,583	4,938	25	20	
Criminal force to deter a public servant, 353 ...	36	89	18	71	...	...	
Assault or use of criminal force to a woman, 354.	50	36	10	26	...	...	
Criminal intimidation or insult, 504 to 509 ...	590	580	281	293	...	6	
Causing annoyance in state of intoxication, 510...	10	13	...	13	...	...	
Unlawful compulsion of labour, 374 ...	15	16	7	9	...	...	
Buying or disposing of any person as a slave, 370, 371.	4	7	4	3	...	...	
Kidnapping or abduction, 363 to 365, 367 to 369,	147	266	83	159	6	18	
Abducting a woman to compel marriage or for defilement, 366.	10	15	9	6	...	...	
Causing death by rash or negligent act ...	2	2	1	1	...	...	
Selling, letting, or unlawfully obtaining a woman for purposes of prostitution, 372, 373.	26	43	17	21	2	3	
Enticing a married woman with criminal intent, 498.	1,811	1,381	982	375	8	16	
Fraudulent and unlawful marriages, 493 to 496 ...	109	77	64	8	4	1	
Adultery, 497	87	93	67	18	3	5	
Rape, 376	276	181	80	80	1	20	
Unnatural offences, 377	107	107	30	68	...	9	
Defamation, 500 to 502	190	189	129	58	1	1	
CLASS III.							
OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY WITH VIOLENCE.							
Dakaity, 395, 396, 397, 398	196	1,990	467	1,372	27	124	
Preparation or assembly for dakaity, 399 to 402,	3	14	7	7	...	...	
Robbery with hurt or deadly weapon. By poison or stupefying drugs.	33	53	12	36	...	5	
Robbery with hurt or deadly weapon. By other means, 394, 397, 398.	43	90	10	68	...	12	

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Statement of offences reported, and of persons tried, convicted, and acquitted, for each offence, in the districts of the North-Western Provinces in the year 1877.

Description of offences.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Died, escaped or transferred.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks
CLASS III.—(*continued*).							
Robbery ... In a dwelling house ...	8	9	7	2	...	...	
Robbery ... On the high way ...	42	68	17	51	...	...	
Robbery ... Elsewhere ...	340	496	135	344	3	14	
Extortion, 384 to 389	746	389	275	106	2	6	
House-breaking or house-trespass in order to commit theft, 451, 454, 457	34,005	6,182	1,041	4 964	21	156	
House-breaking or house-trespass in order to commit an offence other than theft, 449, 450, 451, 454, 457.	161	188	39	139	...	5	
House-breaking or house-trespass with preparation for, or attempt at hurt, 452, 455, 456, 460.	208	120	19	87	6	8	
House-breaking or lurking house-trespass, 452, 455, 456.	833	312	61	246	...	5	
Without violence.							
Theft of cattle, 379, 380, 381	3,486	1,885	360	1,465	10	50	
Theft ordinary, 379, 380, 381	44,106	24,748	4,068	20,074	118	488	
Theft after preparation for causing death, 382 ...	8	7	7	...	...	...	
Dishonestly receiving stolen property, 411 to 414,	5,511	8,455	1,848	6,370	36	201	
Ditto misappropriation of property, 403, 404.	581	540	214	326	...	...	
Criminal breach of trust, 406 to 409 ...	884	733	328	377	1	27	
Cheating, 417 to 420	882	681	369	281	3	28	
Dishonest execution of deed of transfer, 423 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Sale of abscene books, 292	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Malicious Offences.							
Mischief, ordinary, 426, 427, 430 to 433 ...	6,163	5,401	3,104	2,267	3	27	
Ditto by poisoning or killing cattle, 428, 429,	420	296	105	185	...	6	
Ditto by destroying land-marks, 434 ...	21	28	11	17	...	...	
Serious mischief by fire, 435, 436 to 438 ...	496	148	91	45	...	12	
Criminal trespass or house-trespass, 447, 448 ...	3,467	3,446	1,985	1,453	1	8	
Breaking closed receptacle, 461, 462 ...	10	9	6	3	...	...	
Defacing any property mark with intent to cause injury, 489, Indian Penal Code.	2	4	...	4	...	...	
CLASS IV.							
NOT INCLUDED IN THE ABOVE CLASSES.							
Belonging to a gang of thags, 311	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Ditto ditto *dakaits*, 400	2	2	...	...	1	1	
Ditto ditto thieves, 401	1	4	...	...	4	...	
Vagrancy without ostensible means of livelihood, C. P. C., 504.	267	389	107	271	2	9	
Bad habit and repute, C P.C., 505, 506 ...	576	1,100	264	800	21	15	
Criminal breaches of contracts of service, 490 to 492.	33	95	32	63	...	...	
Attempt to commit offences, 511	4,495	369	71	273	...	25	
Abetment, 511	31	69	19	49	1	...	
BREACHES OF SPECIAL LAWS FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE REVENUE, OR ON OTHER SUBJECTS, THE ACTS BEING SPECIFIED.							
Breaches of laws relating—							
To exercise on spirits and drugs, Act XXI., 1856,	1,278	1,964	413	1,541	1	9	
Ditto opium	334	467	81	382	1	3	
Ditto salt and saltpetre, Act XXXI. of 1851, Act XIV. of 1843	1,446	2,632	155	2,473	...	4	
To Sea and Land Customs, Act XVII. of 1861 ...	13	16	2	14	...	...	
„ Stamp Act XVII. of 1869	207	424	33	379	...	12	
„ Paper Currency Act XIX. of 1861, and Act I. of 1862	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ Mint Act XIII. of 1866. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ Post-office Act XIV. of 1866 ...	41	61	12	49	...	...	
„ Electric Telegraph Act VIII. of 1860 ...	6	6	5	1	...	...	
„ Payment of Watchmen, Act XX. of 1856 ...	13	27	11	16	...	...	
„ Municipalities Act VI. of 1868 ...	5,462	9,454	1,293	8,153	1	7	
„ Jails Act VIII. of 1863, ...	61	75	6	69	...	...	
„ Forests Act VII. of 1865 ...	2	24	2	22	...	...	
„ Ferries, Regulation VI. of 1819 ...	12	18	4	14	...	...	
„ Canals Act VII. of 1845 ...	3,496	6,929	1,263	5,662	3	1	
„ Railways Acts XVIII. of 1854, and LII. of 1860,	354	503	98	404	...	1	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. II.—(CRIMINAL)—(*concluded*).

Statement of offences reported, and of persons tried, convicted and acquitted, for each offence, in the districts of the North-Western Provinces in the year 1877.

Description of offences.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted	Died, escaped or transferred.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
CLASS IV.—(*concluded*).							
To Tolls Act VIII. of 1851 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ Stage Coaches, Act XVI. of 1861 ...	84	116	32	84	...	..	
„ The Press Act XXV. of 1867 ...	1	1	...	1	...	...	
„ Gaming and Lotteries Act III. of 1867 ...	302	1,635	222	1,412	...		1
„ Wandering and dangerous lunatics ...	..	...	...	...	...	...	
„ Cattle Trespass Act III. of 1857	914	1,258	408	848	...		2
„ Possession of Arms Act XXXI. of 1860 ...	258	299	83	214	...		2
„ Foreigners Act III. of 1864	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ Emigration Act XIII. of 1864	3	3	...	3	...	...	
„ Criminal tribes	67	124	19	105	...	...	
„ Contempt of Court C. P. C., 435 and 436 ...	6	7	...	7	...	...	
„ Purchase of Government property and of soldiers,	2	2	...	2	...	...	
„ Paraos and Sarais	6	9	1	8	...	...	
„ Proceeding to compel payment of penalty by accused, C. P. C., 396.	25	34	...	34	...	...	
„ Ditto by sureties, 397, ...	14	24	3	20	...		1
„ Personal recognisance to keep the peace, 489, 490.	876	2,440	416	2,008	14		2
„ Security to ditto, 490, 491 ...	880	1,125	169	953	...		3
„ Default to enter into bond, forfeiture of recognizance, 497.	39	114	18	96	...	...	
„ Breach of the peace, 530 and 491 ...	63	223	50	173	...	...	
„ Maintenance to wife and children, 536, ...	392	309	117	91	...		1
„ Proceeding connected with disputed land or water, 530.	88	190	92	94	4	...	
„ Security for good behaviour, 505 ...	481	871	301	519	43		8
„ Breach of Pound Act I of 1871 ...	16	38	13	25	...	...	
„ Restoration of forfeited property C. P. C., 173.	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Breach of sections 92 and 94, Act X. of 1872 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Penalty for non-appearance of party under bail 398, Act X. of 1872.	3	3	...	3	...	...	
Lock Hospital Rules, Act XXIII. of 1868 ...	82	217	23	194	...	...	
License Tax	49	59	4	55	...	...	
Breach of Act V. of 1861...	1,501	3,275	156	3,119	...	...	
Infanticide Act VIII. of 1870	337	614	107	502	...		5
Breach of Laws relating to Pleaders	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Eunuchs, Act XXVII of 1875	12	20	7	13	...	...	
Breach of contract by workman	2	4	1	3	...	...	
Escape from custody	2	2	1	1	...	...	
Obstruction dangerous to human life, 518, C. P. C.	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Forcibly opposing the seizure of cattle, Act X. of 1871.	50	134	53	79	...		2
Breach of duties of village and road policemen, Act XVI. of 1873.	289	445	70	373	...		2
Neglect of duty, Act XX. of 1856	11	16	2	14	...	...	
Refusing to deliver up uniform, 28, Act V. of 1861,	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Breach of Registration Act	3	11	3	8	...	...	
Adulteration of food or drinking, 272, I. P. C, ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Breach of Laws relating to recruits, section 2, Act VII. of 1872	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Infringement of rules sanctioned by Government 22 of 1864.	1,988	2,113	186	1,927	...	...	
Breach of section 85 of the Mutiny Act V. of 1875,	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total ...	186,254	158,779	40,292	115,849	495	2,143	

NOTE—Persons convicted and remaining under trial do not correspond with general statement No. 1, because some districts have included the committed persons in the columns of convicted, while others have excluded them from this column and included them with persons whose cases were remaining under trial.

JUDICIAL STATEMENTS No. III.—(CRIMINAL).

Statement showing the general result of Criminal trials in the tribunal of various classes in the districts of North-Western Provinces in the year 1877.

	Number of persons dealt with.							Persons disposed of.								
	Remaining at the end of last year.	*Brought to trial during the year.*				Received by transfer.	Total.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	Remaining at the end of the year.	Average number of days during which each case lasted.	Number of witnesses who attended.	Remarks.
		Under arrest by police.	Upon warrant.	On summons.	Voluntarily.											
Village officers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Unpaid Magistrate ...	58	8,564	272	8,974	246	8	18,122	2,611	1,820	13,419	94	82	96	8	26,042	
Local subordinate paid do.,	122	19,983	982	29,172	2,351	54	52,664	8,586	5,451	37,133	994	253	247	6	103,331	
Full power Magistrates exercising power throughout the district.	891	48,298	2,098	26,602	2,277	647	81,713	8,576	11,487	56,548	3,702	211	1,209	7	195,933	
Chief Magistrates of districts.	55	4,015	397	1,944	174	275	6,860	675	611	4,999	283	109	83	6	13,365	
Total Magistracy ...	1,126	80,860	4,649	66,692	5,048	984	1,59,359	20,448	19,349	112,099	5,173	655	1,635	7	338,671	
Sessions Courts ...	171	3,761	130	21	34	386	4,503*	23	877	2,592	72	428	520	29	14,745	* 10 persons were twice tried and both convictions entered and one person was hung in the first case and not sentenced in the second case.
High Court	...	15	...	...	...	...	15	1	5	9	...	...	...	1	87	
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,297	84,636	4,779	66,713	5,082	1,370	163,877	20,472	20,231	114,700	5,245	1,083	2,155	12	353,503	

JUDICIAL STATEMENTS No. IV.—(CRIMINAL).

Statement showing the punishments inflicted by various Criminal Tribunals in the Districts of North-Western Provinces in the year 1877.

Class of Tribunals.	PERSONS SENTENCED TO												PERSONS ORDERED TO FIND OR GIVE.			DETAIL OF PUNISHMENT.																								
		TRANSPORTATION.			IMPRISONMENT.				FINE.		WHIPPING.					FINES.									IMPRISONMENT.												WHIPPED.		
					Rigorous.																				*15 days.*		*6 months.*		*2 years.*		*7 years.*		*Above 7 years*					
	Death.	For life.	For a term.	Penal servitude.	With solitary confinement.	Without solitary confinement.	Simple.	Forfeiture of property.	With imprisonment.	Without imprisonment.	In addition to other punishment.	In lieu of other punishment.	Security of the peace.	Recognizance.	Sureties for good behaviours.	Rs. 10 and under.	Rs. 50 and under.	Rs. 100 and under.	Rs. 500 and under.	Rs. 1,000 and under.	Above 1,000.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	10 stripes and under.	20 stripes and under.	30 stripes and under.
	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.	16.	17.	18.	19.	20.	21.	22.	23.	24.	25.	26.	27.	28.	29.	30.	31.	32.	33.	34.	35.	36.	37.
By village officers ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
By unpaid Magistrates ...	...	...	...	...	...	1,091	61	...	130	11,654	28	396	9	27	29	11,612	171	1	...	...	...	19,630	18,206	947	465	61	641	10	104	...	...	...	...	...	101	203	119
By sub-local paid Magistrates...	...	...	...	...	6	7,859	409	...	1,199	25,431	80	2,279	1	6	...	25,044	1,263	34	7	...	...	95,488	86,317	3,948	3,642	347	5,333	141	2	...	...	...	...	...	1,472	647	139
By full powers Magistrates of general jurisdiction ...	...	...	...	...	176	17,747	936	...	2,194	23,150	670	7,421	931	2,066	1,515	21,143	4,196	836	114	9	1	240,236	170,430	14,527	1,535	503	11,177	539	7,381	10	89	...	...	...	2,163	3,499	2,398
By Chief Magistrates of district, ...	...	...	...	...	27	1,339	72	...	220	1,824	82	913	173	216	245	1,553	420	47	15	6	2	34,567	25,938	3,512	78	31	857	46	697	...	47	...	...	...	215	389	363
By Sessions Court ...	124	262	110	..	79	1,742	14	2	171	14	49	69	2	...	1	17	123	16	19	8	3	30,702	4,719	15,450	...	2	168	12	697	4	1,132	...	134	1	36	22	50
By High Court	1	...	1	..	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	125	262	111	..	288	29,785	1,492	2	3,914	62,073	909	11,078	1,116	2,315	1,581	59,369	6,083	434	155	23	6	420,623	305,610	38,394	5,720	947	18,196	748	8,885	14	1,271	...	134	1	3,987	4,757	3,074

JUDICIAL STATEMENTS No. V.—(CRIMINAL).

Statement showing the result of appeals and revisions in Criminal cases in the district of the N.-W. P. ——————— during the year 1877.

Tribunal.	Number of appellants or persons applying for revision under section 297, C. C. P.	Number of persons.								Remarks.
		Appeals or applications rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences modified.	Sentences reversed.	Proceedings quashed.	Further enquiry or evidence ordered.	Cases referred for revision to High Court.	Pending.	
To Magistrates of districts ... { Appeals from unpaid Magistrates ...	350	20	197	61	66	1	4	1	...	2 Transferred to Sessions Court.
{ Appeals from paid Magistrates ...	2,837	416	1,444	323	521	2	56	22	51	
To Sessions Courts ... { Appeals from unpaid Magistrates ...	15	...	8	1	5	...	...	...	1	
{ Appeals from paid Magistrates ...	4,273	1,010	2,071	449	410	20	65	73	183	1 Died.
High Court	1,885	267	874	397	127	23	20	142	35	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT XI.

Statement showing use of Juries and Assessors in the Civil and Criminal Courts of the North-Western Provinces in the year 1877.

Classes in Courts in which jurors or assessors are employed, distinguishing Criminal from Civil Courts.	Established or average number of jury or assessors in each case and prescribed qualification.	Number of cases tried by jury.	Number of cases with assessors.	Jury Trials.		Assessors' Trial.		Note showing in what classes of cases juries and assessors have been principally employed.	Remarks.
				Cases in which the Judge approved of the verdict.	Cases in which the Judge did not approve of the verdict.	Number of cases in which Judges agreed with assessors.	Number of cases in which Judge differed, from assessors.		
Session Judges Courts, N.-W. Provinces ...	Assessors } 3 Jurors ... }	3	1,342	3	...	1,151	170	...	
High Court, N.-W. P.	9	9	...	...	9	...	...	...	

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CRIMINAL STATEMENTS

For the year 1878.

THE actual scarcity of food at the beginning of the year, and the high prices that prevailed till the end of it, had their effect in producing an abnormal increase of crime throughout the provinces.

The number of offences reported was 220,852, against 186,254 in the previous year; and of these reports 108,934, or nearly 50 per cent., resulted in prosecutions.

The number of persons under trial was larger than it had been during any one of the preceding nineteen years, and the proportion of convictions, inclusive of commitments, was higher.

2. The statistics of the twenty years ending with 1878 are compared in the following table:—

Year.	Number of persons under trial.	Percentage of convictions and commitments to persons whose cases were disposed of.	Percentage of discharges and acquittals to persons whose cases were disposed of.
1859	63,504	57	43
1860	64,101	64	36
1861	64,755	63	37
1862	74,100	57	43
1863	81,601	58	42
1864	95,940	59	41
1865	98,115	62	38
1866	103,440	64	36
1867	94,806	67	33
1868	106,830	67	33
1869	124,097	69	31
1870	114,899	70	30
1871	107,663	71	29
1872	115,949	70	30
1873	128,208	72	28
1874	134,159	72	28
1875	142,521	73	27
1876	139,863	72	28
1877	158,779	75	25
1878	183,231	76	24

If it may be assumed that crime is not more rife than formerly, these figures go to prove how much more efficient the criminal administration has become since 1862, the year in which the Code of Criminal Procedure came into force, and the first year during the whole of which Act V., 1861, was in operation. In that year convictions or commitments were obtained in only 57 per cent. of the cases disposed of by Magistrates, as compared with 75 per cent. in 1877 and 76 per cent. in 1878.

The number of persons under trial whose cases were left undisposed of in the courts of Magistrates at the end of the year was, notwithstanding the great increase of business, both criminal and revenue and in connection with relief works, smaller than in any one of the preceding five years.

3. The number of persons committed whose cases were disposed of in Courts of Session during the year was 3,759, of whom 2,905, or 77 per cent., were convicted, as against 75 per cent. in 1877. The number both of cases and of persons committed was largest in the Sháhjahánpur, Cawnpore, and Bareilly districts.

4. In the following statement the number of persons under trial for offences in respect of which the increase in prosecutions is most noticeable in the returns of 1878 is compared with the numbers under trial in the first and last of the five preceding years :—

Offence.	*Number of persons under trial.*		
	1873.	1877.	1878.
Relating to coin, chap. XII., Indian Penal Code ...	156	199	302
Ditto stamps, ditto ...	20	22	41
Housebreaking in order to commit theft ...	4,354	6,182	11,476
Theft	19,724	26,633	44,753
Dishonestly receiving stolen property	7,527	8,455	14,576
Relating to opium	158	467	1,032
Ditto general stamps	174	424	3,815
Gambling	905	1,635	2,185
Relating to cantonments	1,923	2,113	2,984
Ditto license tax	...	59	1,281

The increase in the number of offences relating to stamps under Chapter XII. of the Penal Code will probably be progressive as long as the present practice of requiring court fees to be paid in adhesive labels is allowed to continue.

The enormous increase in offences against property is, of course, the direct result of the scarcity and high prices of food grains; and in the number of persons under trial for offences relating to general stamps it may be attributed partly to improved administration and partly to an excess of zeal, untempered with discretion, on the part of the officer in charge of the Stamp Department in the Hamírpur district.

Cases in which fines were levied under the orders of Collectors appear to have been erroneously shown in the returns as offences against the North-Western Provinces and Northern India License Acts.

5. One thousand two hundred and forty-one persons were called on to furnish security for good behaviour, against an annual average of 1,393 while Act XXV, 1861, was in force, 1,934 during the five preceding years under Act X., 1872, and 1,573 during the sixteen years from 1862 to 1877. It will be remembered that the operation of Chapter XXXVIII of the Code of Criminal Procedure was the subject of discussion during the year under review, with reference to the letter of the Government of India in the Home Department (Judicial), No. 3-221, dated the 16th of February, 1878.

6. The number of witnesses who attended the courts of Magistrates was 383,439, or more by nearly 24,000 than attended in any one of the preceding nineteen years. The proportion (·6) of witnesses detained beyond one day was the same as in 1877.

7. The average duration of cases in the courts of Magistrates was 6 days, against 7 in the preceding year; in Courts of Session, of committed cases 30 days, and of appeals 14, against 29 and 17 respectively; and, in the High Court, of references and appeals, 14 days, against 16.

In the year 1862, some results obtained in which have already been compared with those of 1878, the average duration of cases in the courts of Magistrates was 14 days, and of appeals in Courts of Session 26. The average duration of committed cases cannot be compared, the duration being calculated then from the date fixed by the Magistrate for trial, and now from the date of committal.

8. Persons convicted in the courts of Magistrates were fined, imprisoned, and whipped in the following numbers :—

Fined	59,834
Imprisoned	44,179
Whipped	22,840
Imprisoned and fined	3,631
Ditto and whipped	1,559
Fined and whipped	24

Sixty-three thousand four hundred and eighty-nine persons were punished with fines amounting to Rs. 3,66,494, of which Rs. 2,89,179, or 79 per cent., were realised before the close of the year. The number of persons fined in the courts of Magistrates, and the amount of fines imposed and realised during each year since 1862, are compared in the following statement :—

Years.	Number of persons fined.	Amount of fines imposed.	Amount of fines realised.	Proportion realised.
		Rs.	Rs.	
1862	20,134	3,08,561	1,44,169	·47
1863	24,302	3,17,531	1,63,582	·51
1864	28,214	3,99,124	2,29,226	·58
1865	30,360	3,46,763	2,08,344	·60
1866	34,992	3,55,140	2,32,891	·65
1867	36,134	3,27,378	2,35,282	·72
1868	39,609	3,53,581	2,56,107	·72
1869	41,763	3,58,731	2,61,916	·73
1870	45,643	3,83,861	2,89,576	·75
1871	44,721	2,86,717	2,23,462	·78
1872	46,691	2,94,940	2,23,188	·76
1873	51,228	3,21,037	2,45,123	·76
1874	53,487	3,60,777	2,74,874	·76
1875	62,885	3,70,281	2,92,049	·79
1876	62,356	3,69,415	2,87,457	·78
1877	65,866	3,89,021	3,00,891	·79
1878	63,489	3,66,494	2,89,179	·79

From this statement it appears that fines generally are now lighter and more suited to the means of those on whom they are imposed than was formerly the case.

9. Persons convicted in Courts of Session were sentenced as follows :—

To death	169
To be transported	399
„ rigorously imprisoned	2,192
„ simply imprisoned	22
„ fined	14
„ fined and imprisoned	114
„ whipped	24
„ whipped and fined or imprisoned	39

The fines imposed amounted to Rs. 10,623, of which Rs. 2,121, or 20 per cent., were realised, against 15 per cent. in 1877.

10. The number of persons who preferred appeals from orders of Magistrates to Magistrates of Districts was 3,143, of whom 901, or 29 per cent. succeeded in obtaining the reversal or modification of the order appealed against.

The number of persons who appealed from orders of Magistrates to Courts of Session was 4,294, of whom 978, or 23 per cent., succeeded.

In the High Court, the result of references in respect of the 169 persons on whom sentence of death had been passed was confirmation in respect of 139, or 82 per cent.; modification in respect of 22, or 13 per cent.; and acquittal in respect of 8, or 5 per cent.

Nine hundred and eighty-eight persons appealed to the High Court, and 216, or 22 per cent. of them, succeeded in obtaining either a modification or a reversal of their sentences, or an order for the re-trial of their cases.

The High Court called for the cases of 299 persons under section 294 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and interfered with the orders passed in respect of 149, or 50 per cent. of them.

The cases of 384 persons were submitted to the High Court by Courts of Session and Magistrates of Districts under section 296 of the Code, on the ground either that the punishment inflicted was too severe or was inadequate, or that the judgment or order of the Magistrate was contrary to law. In 287, or 75 per cent. of these cases, the High Court declined to interfere; and in the remaining 97, or 25 per cent., it modified the judgment or order reported, or it directed re-trial.

Thus, on appeal, reference, and revision, the High Court disposed of the cases of 1,840 persons, as against those of 1,522 in the preceding year. On its original side five criminal trials were held and concluded.

11. The number of Special Magistrates in the North-Western Provinces in 1878 was 138, and the number of persons dealt with by them was 19,015, of whom 14,450, or 76 per cent., were convicted. Where so many have done good work, it may seem invidious to single out the names of particular gentlemen for honourable mention ; but the services of Shaikh Sharf-ud-din of Budaun and Babu Durga Prasad of Gorakhpur appear to the Court to be deserving of special recognition. These gentlemen sat regularly and disposed of as much work as paid Magistrates, and so satisfactorily that not one of the orders of the former, and less than one per cent. of the orders of the latter, was reversed or modified on appeal.

Of the 138 Special Magistrates, 63 sat in benches at Brindaban, Agra, Farukhabad, Etáwah, Sháhjahánpur, Moradabad, Sambhal, Chandausi, Bareilly, Pilibhít, Benares, Azamgarh, and Gházipur. Six of these benches are authorised to take up cases under municipal bye-laws, and section 34, Act V., 1861, on complaint without reference.

12. Among the Judges and Magistrates whose administration and conduct of business during the year commanded the Court's approval were Mr. Brodhurst, Mr. Lane, Mr. King, Mr. Quinton, Mr. Duthoit, Mr. Tyrrell, Mr. Sells, Mr. Ward, Mr. McConaghey, Mr. Donovan, Mr. Irvine, Mr. Church, Mr. G. R. C. Williams, Mr. Robinson, Mr. White, Mr. Rose, Mr. Denniston, Mr. Thomson, Mr. Crooke, Mr. Stack, Raja Lachman Singh, Mír Imdád Ali, C.S.I., Rai Balmukund, Pandit Radha Kishn, Munshi Kalyan Singh, and Saiyad Ali Husain.

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, N.-W. P.,
ALLAHABAD :
The 14th July, 1879.

S. HARVEY JAMES,
Officiating Registrar.

No. 1.—General statement showing the number of offences reported and prosecuted, as well as the number of persons under trial and those whose cases were disposed of during the year 1878, *in the Magisterial Courts of the North-Western Provinces.*

District.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of offences prosecuted.	Number of persons under trial.	*Number of persons whose cases were disposed of.*		Number of persons whose cases were left undisposed of at the close of the year.	Percentage of persons convicted and committed to those whose cases were disposed of.	Remarks.
				Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted including committed.			
Saharanpur	6,197	2,758	4,679	1,008	3,261	48	·78	
Muzaffarnagar	6,022	3,225	5,434	2,235	3,133	47	·58	
Dehra Dun	1,171	1,104	1,555	369	1,175	10	·76	
Meerut	6,194	3,427	6,703	1,339	5,336	18	·79	
Bulandshahr	3,808	2,630	4,935	1,425	3,423	66	·71	
Aligarh	6,329	3,502	6,709	1,442	5,221	29	·78	
Etah	6,178	2,601	4,234	830	3,362	38	·80	
Moradabad	12,741	5,912	9,366	2,213	7,136	11	·76	
Bijnor	5,692	2,706	4,125	757	3,348	20	·81	
Bareilly	12,258	5,972	9,526	1,937	7,548	34	·78	
Budaun	7,356	3,510	5,499	1,102	4,354	41	·80	
Shahjahánpur	8,707	5,642	8,349	1,507	6 804	38	·31	
Agra	9,169	5,784	10,132	2,533	7,485	39	·78	
Muttra	3,476	2,352	4 188	958	3,199	15	·76	
Farukhabad	5,298	3,574	5,907	1,197	4,668	31	·79	
Mainpuri	3,289	1,825	3.681	649	2,962	33	·32	
Etáwah	4,191	2,125	3,560	947	2,467	35	·72	
Cawnpore	9,723	5,291	8,413	1,283	7,091	14	·82	
Fatehpur	3,908	2,055	3,581	576	2,914	41	·83	
Bánda	4,216	2,172	4,041	1,237	2,778	11	·68	
Hamírpur	5,244	2,800	5 936	1,716	4,155	46	·70	
Allahabad	9,776	5,105	8,750	2,135	6.351	42	·74	
Gorakhpur	18,344	6,017	8,949	1,692	7,227	26	·81	
Basti	11,895	3,499	5,540	1,037	4,433	62	81	
Azamgarh	10,639	2,916	4,468	1,069	3.341	58	·75	
Jaunpur	6,379	2,599	4,220	1,169	3,002	26	·71	
Mirzapur	7,964	3,079	5,765	2,090	3,642	29	·64	
Benares	7,976	5,084	8,498	3,338	5,149	4	·61	
Ghazipur	6,661	3,293	5,784	1,041	4,694	43	·82	
Kumaon	1,614	1,403	2,306	294	1,985	9	·87	
Garhwal	791	241	445	186	256	...	·57	
Tarai	528	386	691	130	545	...	·80	
Jhansi	4,134	2,024	3 039	508	2,517	1	·83	
Jalaun	1,524	1,246	2,597	582	2,001	14	·77	
Lalitpur	1,460	1,075	1,676	266	1,375	12	·84	
Total of 1878	2,20.852	1,08,934	1,83,231	42,802	1,38.333	991	76	
Total of 1877	1,86,254	87,907	1,58,779	40,292	1,16,483	1,685	·74	
District average for 1878	6,310	3,112	5,235	1.214	3,952	28	·76	
District average for 1877	5,324	2,486	4,536	1,150	3,328	47	·74	

Persons whose cases were transferred for trial in other districts or who died or escaped from custody are not shown in this table. Their number is shown in table No. 2.

No. 2.—*Statement showing the general results of Criminal Trials before the various Magisterial authorities in the districts of the North-Western Provinces during the year* 1878.

Districts.	Number of persons dealt with.					Persons disposed of.				Remaining at the end of the year.		Number of enquiries by Magistrates.	Number of cases pending above 6 weeks at the end of the year.	Percentage of convictions in cases committed.
	Remaining at end of last year.	Brought to trial during the year.		Received by transfer.	Total.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted including committed.	Died, escaped or transferred.	In custody.	On bail or recognizance.			
		By arrest.	By summons or recognizance.											
Saháranpur	74	3,063	1,540	2	4,679	466	542	3,621	2	43	5	1	...	·83
Muzaffarnagar	39	1,761	3,628	49	5,477	1,652	583	3,176	19	35	12	...	41	·79
Dehra Dún	3	1,102	450	...	1,555	269	100	1,175	1	6	4	...	...	·70
Meerut	55	3,635	3,011	2	6,703	587	752	5,336	10	13	5	...	...	·60
Bulandshahr	106	2,359	2,463	7	4,935	1,177	248	3,423	21	52	14	45	...	·92
Aligarh	83	3,851	2,775	...	6,709	796	646	5,221	17	22	7	...	...	·66
Etah	69	2,926	1,321	...	4,316	390	440	3,444	4	33	5	...	...	·85
Moradabad	27	6,271	3,068	317	9,683	1,151	1,062	7,136	331	6	5	16	...	·100
Bijnor	18	3,134	967	7	4,126	87	670	3,343	5	10	10	...	2	·87
Bareilly	69	7,514	2,076	...	9,659	488	1,449	7,681	7	18	16	108	2	·82
Budaun	37	3,969	1,487	6	5,499	314	788	4,354	2	23	18	239	...	·90
Sháhjahánpur	179	6,396	1,671	193	8,349	789	718	6,611	193	13	25	95	3	·80
Agra	54	5,719	4,301	58	10,132	1,081	1,452	7,485	75	15	24	102	...	·64
Muttra	25	2,246	1,914	3	4,188	645	313	3,199	16	15	...	...	...	·74
Farukhabad	34	3,536	2,361	3	5,934	585	612	4,605	11	28	3	...	12	·88
Mainpuri	35	1,836	1,774	36	3,681	241	408	2,962	37	18	15	1	1	·88
Etawah	121	2,199	1,091	149	3,560	268	679	2,467	111	16	19	...	...	·81
Cawnpore	63	3,473	4,873	4	8,413	208	1,080	7,091	20	7	7	2	4	·82
Fatehpur	33	2,138	1,354	6	3,531	316	260	2,907	...	6	35	55	...	·81
Bánda	32	1,902	2,101	6	4,041	596	641	2,773	20	5	6	...	...	·49
Hamirpur	36	2,245	3,601	244	6,126	484	1,232	4,345	19	19	27	225	33	·94
Allahabad	33	4,659	4,058	...	8,750	1,167	968	6,572	1	23	19	23	...	·79
Gorakhpur	71	7,084	2,487	3	9,645	888	804	7,923	4	16	10	547	20	·78
Basti	63	4,073	1,404	23	5,563	260	777	4,447	17	5	57	...	1	·76
Azamgarh	123	3,173	1,168	4	4,468	361	708	3,341	...	17	41	2,899	7	·75
Jaunpur	28	1,808	2,382	2	4,220	627	542	3,022	3	11	15	8	7	·76
Mirzapur	13	3,147	2,602	3	5,765	974	1,116	3,622	24	13	16	98	2	·80
Benares	30	4,781	3,666	112	8,589	2,845	493	5,240	7	2	2	...	1	·92
Gházipur	7	4,120	1,655	6	5,788	442	599	4,698	6	9	34	...	...	·94
Kumaun	7	1,629	642	29	2,307	163	132	1,985	18	1	8	8	...	·87
Garhwal	6	187	249	3	445	118	63	256	3	...	...	3	...	·40
Tarai	...	528	162	1	691	58	72	545	16	...	...	...	...	·80
Jhánsi	13	2,205	821	...	3,039	303	205	2,517	13	...	1	...	5	·100
Jalaun	20	1,951	621	5	2,597	315	267	1,998	3	1	13	...	...	·95
Lalitpur	29	1,278	359	10	1,676	214	52	1,375	23	12	...	...	...	·94
Total	1,635	1,11,808	70,103	1,293	184,839	21,325	21,478	1,39,986	1,059	513	478	4,475	141	·81

The cause of difference between the figures of this statement and those of No. 1 is that in some districts cases committed to Courts of Session, included in this statement, are not included in No. 1, and cases transferred from one Court to another are entered in this statement.

No. 3.—*Statement showing the degrees of punishment inflicted by the magisterial Courts of the North-Western Provinces during the year* 1878.

District	Number of Persons punished.												
	Fined.	Imprisoned.	Flogged.		Ordered to find security for good behaviour.	Ordered to find security to keep the peace.	Order to enter into recognizance.	Order to maintain wife and children.	Order to refrain from taking possession of land and water.	Imprisoned and fined	Imprisoned and flogged.	Fined and flogged.	Total persons punished.
			Juveniles.	Adults.									
Saháranpur ...	1,842	802	54	618	25	...	130	4	9	53	27	...	3,564
Muzaffarnagar ...	1,621	889	60	293	29	57	...	...	...	64	16	...	3,040
Dehra Dún ...	717	249	8	153	11	10	8	...	...	2	...	...	1,163
Meerut ...	3,300	916	129	482	28	116	40	2	...	113	61	...	5,177
Bulandshahr ...	1,632	1,247	82	145	33	8	125	4	12	64	16	...	3,368
Aligarh ...	2,698	1,585	37	481	80	12	43	...	...	88	96	...	5,120
Etah ...	1,113	1,633	45	286	30	...	28	...	...	123	32	...	3,290
Moradabad ...	2,403	2,960	253	1,198	58	...	19	...	...	144	46	...	7,086
Bijnor ...	964	1,313	42	672	38	35	52	1	...	178	41	...	3,336
Bareilly ...	2,089	3,393	287	1,062	84	40	64	10	...	193	94	7	7,323
Budaun ...	1,211	1,290	134	1,129	79	37	8	...	...	97	21	1	4,002
Sháhjahánpur ...	1,625	3,310	184	1,157	43	54	...	3	1	132	84	9	6,602
Agra ...	3,346	2,904	203	577	86	7	50	5	7	108	78	...	7,371
Muttra ...	1,344	1,220	104	439	21	12	...	...	...	84	9	...	3,126
Farukhabad ...	2,161	1,675	36	373	24	18	27	9	...	92	56	...	4,466
Mainpuri ...	1,580	850	22	168	10	21	34	...	...	144	11	...	2,840
Etáwah ...	806	712	79	524	42	30	10	...	...	101	66	...	2,370
Cawnpore ...	4,351	1,467	67	810	25	9	39	...	...	74	78	...	6,914
Fatehpur ...	1,238	822	29	299	30	18	135	...	...	224	41	...	2,831
Bánda ...	1,412	798	40	127	14	109	75	6	16	84	11	...	2,692
Hamírpur ...	2,357	1,037	63	334	46	64	52	...	5	48	58	...	4,062
Allahabad ...	6,285	1,939	102	607	84	12	64	7	5	185	73	...	6,363
Gorakhpur ...	1,896	1,403	292	3,168	69	21	185	12	13	121	110	...	7,290
Basti ...	900	1,443	113	1,680	7	62	90	1	...	65	66	...	4,427
Azamgarh ...	1,197	1,261	23	637	17	20	15	1	...	128	81	...	3,320
Jaunpur ...	1,616	673	65	278	17	5	34	...	2	167	53	...	2,910
Mirzapur ...	1,633	1,328	62	239	32	107	12	1	...	70	17	...	3,496
Benares ...	2,797	1,435	36	389	39	6	22	...	...	286	51	1	5,072
Gházipur ...	2,651	1,315	140	381	63	50	32	...	...	118	59	...	4,809
Kumaun ...	1,544	211	14	95	18	19	39	2	...	35	7	...	1,984
Garhwal ...	152	30	6	10	9	3	9	...	...	32	1	...	252
Tarai ...	150	208	74	70	17	...	11	...	...	9	2	...	541
Jhánsi ...	1,128	936	6	274	5	8	21	...	...	80	33	2	2,493
Jalaun ...	652	562	51	402	19	8	53	1	...	77	58	2	1,885
Lalitpur ...	483	477	318	518	9	3	...	...	...	30	22	2	1,859
Total ...	59,834	44,179	2,967	19,873	1,241	976	1 521	69	70	3,631	1,559	24	1,35,944*

* Exclusive of the number of persons committed.

No. 3.—*Statement showing the degrees of punishment inflicted by the*

District.	DETAIL OF SENTENCE-NUMBER.								
	FINED.								
	Not exceeding Rupees 10.	Not exceeding Rupees 50.	Not exceeding Rupees 100.	Not exceeding Rupees 500.	Not exceeding Rupees 1,000.	Total number of fines.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid to injured parties in compensation or amend.
							Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
Saháranpur ...	1,768	107	13	7	...	1,895	9,713	9,098	948
Muzaffarnagar ...	1,542	152	8	3	...	1,705	8,531	7,784	493
Dehra Dún ...	700	16	2	1	...	719	2,061	1,848	297
Meerut ...	3,105	289	18	3	...	3,415	19,019	16,721	441
Bulandshahr ...	1,553	130	5	5	...	1,696	10,020	9,508	687
Aligarh ...	2,500	267	6	13	...	2,786	17,129	14,308	557
Etah ...	1,066	162	8	...	...	1,236	7,635	5,649	272
Moradabad ...	2,406	138	6	2	...	2,552	10,033	8,500	196
Bijnor ...	972	158	8	4	...	1,142	8,103	4,358	63
Bareilly ...	1,925	296	52	9	...	2,282	20,044	11,808	658
Budaun ...	1,179	124	5	1	...	1,309	7,970	7,061	548
Sháhjahánpur ...	1,541	220	3	2	...	1,766	11,048	6,669	4,419
Agra ...	3,054	347	33	17	3	3,454	23,290	16,564	1,846
Muttra ...	1,324	89	6	9	...	1,428	8,238	5,688	93
Farukhabad ...	2,058	188	7	...	...	2,253	11,428	8,987	617
Mainpuri ...	1,541	176	4	3	...	1,724	8,899	7,573	868
Etáwah ...	798	101	2	7	...	908	7,319	5,694	1,410
Cawnpore ...	4,248	163	10	4	...	4,425	14,446	12,924	1,166
Fatehpur ...	1,331	122	4	1	...	1,458	7,678	5,929	329
Bánda ...	1,402	89	4	1	...	1,496	6,679	6,463	334
Hamírpur ...	2,169	210	16	8	...	2,403	15,194	14,736	713
Allahabad ...	3,057	374	28	11	...	3,470	22,965	16,407	807
Gorakhpur ...	1,759	263	5	...	...	2,027	13,416	12,177	986
Basti ...	783	164	12	6	...	765	8,071	6,259	415
Azamgarh ...	1,119	141	13	4	...	1,277	9,986	6,614	427
Jaunpur ...	1,579	193	10	...	1	1,783	10,695	8,181	339
Mirzapur ...	1,557	135	9	2	...	1,703	9,352	7,440	194
Benares ...	2,620	417	32	15	...	3,084	22,863	16,923	1,578
Gházipur ...	2,531	327	6	3	2	2,769	15,391	11,059	435
Kumaun ...	1,479	88	5	7	...	1,579	7,741	6,689	882
Garhwal ...	152	27	5	...	...	184	1,624	907	367
Tarai ...	154	5	...	...	...	159	622	586	90
Jhansi ...	1,154	50	3	3	...	1,210	4,278	3,090	356
Jálaun ...	698	37	6	3	...	744	4,889	3,403	263
Lalitpur ...	498	15	1	1	...	515	1,753	1,574	27
Total ...	57,325	5,680	355	155	6	63,521	3,66,494	2,89,179	23,527

magisterial courts of the North-Western Provinces, during the year 1878.

OF PERSONS.												
IMPRISONED.												
Not exceeding.												
15 days.		6 months.		2 years.		7 years.		Total.		Average number of stripes.	Highest number of stripes in any case.	Persons imprisoned in default of security.
Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Rigorous above 7 years.	Rigorous.	Simple.			
94	25	463	16	284	...	...	...	841	41	15	30	13
188	17	452	7	316	...	...	...	956	24	16	30	7
36	1	150	1	63	...	...	...	249	2	16	30	...
289	35	498	7	251	...	...	...	1,038	42	20	30	48
394	26	535	4	368	...	...	...	1,297	30	13	30	22
215	27	1,005	12	502	3	5	...	1,727	42	19	30	38
439	13	929	16	391	...	...	...	1,759	29	18	30	11
504	19	1,964	40	623	...	...	...	3,091	59	14	30	35
356	9	665	5	496	1	...	...	1,517	15	16	30	51
522	157	2,125	42	842	1	...	...	3,489	200	14	30	68
74	9	677	13	518	1	...	...	1,269	23	20	30	16
1,117	97	1,984	23	305	...	...	...	3,406	120	17	30	35
871	105	1,449	32	633	...	...	...	2,953	137	15	30	63
271	19	580	8	334	1	...	...	1,185	28	16	30	15
359	81	1,077	35	358	...	...	...	1,794	116	16	30	37
254	38	513	14	186	...	...	...	953	52	18	30	15
179	11	498	10	181	...	...	...	858	21	17	30	41
284	93	826	39	270	1	...	...	1,480	133	16	30	20
284	12	512	31	247	1	...	...	1,043	44	16	30	20
193	38	474	22	166	...	...	...	833	60	13	30	12
155	15	714	31	226	...	...	...	1,095	46	15	30	40
143	44	1,292	79	639	...	...	...	2,074	123	20	30	70
230	51	932	18	340	...	...	...	1,552	69	12	30	64
831	79	834	51	278	...	...	...	1,443	130	8	30	2
250	57	733	22	405	3	...	...	1,388	82	19	30	17
141	28	475	53	195	1	...	...	811	82	14	30	12
153	20	951	31	255	1	...	...	1,259	52	13	30	45
172	6	1,103	30	453	2	6	...	1,734	38	19	30	45
178	21	658	24	416	2	16	..	1,268	47	13	30	47
13	2	126	16	93	3	...	...	232	21	15	25	12
6	...	45	1	11	...	...	...	62	1	16	25	...
24	4	81	...	108	...	...	...	213	4	13	30	15
192	107	567	15	160	...	7	6	926	128	16	30	5
93	17	457	11	134	...	16	...	694	28	15	30	25
47	5	239	10	220	2	13	...	512	17	13	30	...
9,051	1,288	26,626	769	11,367	23	57	6	47,101	2,086	16	30	969

No. 4.—*Statement showing the number of witnesses who attended the Magisterial Courts of the North-Western Provinces during the year 1878 and the period of their detention.*

District.	Number of witnesses who attended.	*Number of witnesses detained.*			*Percentage of witnesses detained*		
		Above one day.	Above three days.	Above seven days.	Above one day.	Above three days.	Above seven days.
Saharanpur	10,691	382	39	1	3	...	...
Muzaffarnagar	9,170	663	35	...	7	...	...
Dehra Dun	2,512	...	...	...	...	...	...
Meerut	12,343	541	...	...	...	...	...
Bulandshahar	10,729	1,335	10	...	12	...	...
Aligarh	15,075	810	130	...	5	...	...
Etah	10,578	187	7	...	1	...	...
Morabad	20,201	969	95	11	5	...	...
Bijnor	11,940	635	...	...	5	...	...
Bareilly	26,588	3,518	138	...	13	...	...
Budaun	13,608	956	28	...	7	...	...
Shahjahanpur	19,630	684	66	...	3	...	...
Agra	15,983	837	30	...	5	...	...
Muttra	8,907	127	...	...	1	...	...
Farukhabad	14,266	538	...	...	3	...	...
Mainpuri	10,435	1,023	58	...	9	...	...
Etawah	8,581	310	9	...	3	...	...
Cawnpore	11,135	143	...	...	1	...	...
Fatehpur	8,531	474	184	112	6	2	
Banda	7,897	736	39	...	9	1	...
Hamirpur	9,085	1,241	102	1	13	1	...
Allahabad	21,302	1,913	143	...	8	...	...
Gorakhpur	19,046	1,229	82	...	6	...	...
Basti	12,156	659	6	...	5	...	...
Azamgarh	10,435	1,812	106	...	18	1	...
Jaunpur	11,939	807	10	...	6	...	...
Mirzapur	10,698	392	5	...	3	...	...
Benares	12,958	218	...	...	2	...	...
Ghazipur	10,500	818	10	...	8	...	...
Kumaun	2,136	...	...	...	...	...	...
Garhwal	719	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tarai	1,284	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jhansi	4,665	493	33	...	10	1	...
Jalaun	3,697	48	...	...	1	...	...
Lalitpur	3,719	52	...	...	1	...	...
Total ...	3,83,439	24,450	1,365	125	6	...	...

No. 5—*Statement showing the result of appeals from the orders of Assistants preferred to Magistrates of Districts in the North-Western Provinces, during the year 1878.*

District.	Number of appellants.	Number of persons.					Remarks.
		Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences reversed or modified.	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending.	
Saháranpur	60	15	14	14	1	...	16 referred to High Court.
Muzaffarnagar	41	...	34	6	...	1	
Dehra Dun	5	...	1	4	...	...	
Meerut	70	...	47	23	...	...	
Bulandshahr	108	...	77	31	...	...	
Aligarh	324	...	294	84	16	...	
Etah	77	...	63	14	...	...	
Moradabád	191	54	46	90	...	1	
Bijnor	30	1	12	17	...	...	
Bareilly	73	18	26	29	...	...	
Budaun	54	11	27	14	2	...	
Sháhjahánpur	35	...	29	6	...	...	
Agra	113	35	59	19	...	...	
Muttra	49	2	44	3	...	...	
Farukhabad	152	28	79	40	1	4	
Mainpuri	63	4	45	14	...	...	
Etawah	28	1	15	12	...	...	
Cawnpore	44	6	22	11	...	5	
Fatehpur	121	41	32	41	...	7	
Banda	103	12	27	63	...	1	
Hamirpur	98	10	59	24	3	2	
Allahabad	153	28	41	68	14	2	
Gorákhpur	158	...	114	39	5	...	
Basti	49	14	20	12	...	3	
Azamgarh	118	...	68	37	4	4	
Jaunpur	192	31	78	67	7	4	2 referred to High Court.
Mirzapur	112	5	93	10	2	2	
Benares	206	4	145	44	11	2	
Ghazipur	149	38	92	16	1	...	Ditto.
Kumaun	78	20	40	17	1	...	
Garhwal	28	...	19	4	...	...	
Tarai	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Jhánsi	42	...	22	20	...	...	
Jalaun	22	1	17	4	...	...	
Lalitpur	7	1	2	4	...	...	
Total ...	3,143	395	1,793	901	68	36	21

No. 6.—*Statement showing the average number of days during which each case lasted in the Magisterial Courts of the North-Western Provinces during the years* 1877 *and* 1878.

District.	Average duration on cases in Magisterial Courts.					
	For the year 1877.			*For the year* 1878.		
	Year.	Months.	Days.	Year.	Months.	Days.
Saháranpur	...	...	8	...	...	5
Muzaffarnagar	...	...	9	...	...	10
Debra Dún	...	...	2	...	...	2
Meerut	...	...	4	...	...	5
Bulándshahr	...	...	8	...	...	8
Aligarh	...	...	8	...	...	9
Etáh	...	...	5	...	...	5
Moradabad	...	...	7	...	...	6
Bijnor	...	...	5	...	...	4
Bareilly	...	...	6	...	...	7
Budaon	...	...	4	...	...	8
Sháhjahánpur	...	...	5	...	...	3
Agra	...	...	6	...	...	4
Muttra	...	...	5	...	...	4
Farukhabad	...	...	9	...	...	7
Mainpuri	...	...	6	...	...	5
Etáwah	...	...	7	...	...	5
Cawnpore	...	...	6	...	...	5
Fatehpur	...	...	6	...	...	7
Banda	...	...	4	...	...	4
Hamirpur	...	...	6	...	...	5
Allahabad	...	...	5	...	...	5
Gorakhpur	...	...	8	...	...	6
Basti	...	...	7	...	...	7
Azamgarh	...	...	9	...	...	5
Jaunpur	...	...	6	...	...	6
Mirzapur	...	...	11	...	...	10
Benares	...	...	5	...	...	6
Gházipur	...	...	9	...	...	5
Kumaun	...	...	7	...	...	6
Garhwal	...	...	17	...	...	11
Tarai	...	...	3	...	...	3
Jhansi	...	...	6	...	...	3
Jalaun	...	...	9	...	...	5
Lalitpur	...	...	5	...	...	4
Average duration ...	...	...	7	...	...	6

No. 7.—*Statement showing the result of appeals to Courts of Session during the year*, 1878.

Districts.	Number of appellants.	*Number of persons.*					
		Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences reversed or modified.	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending.	
Saharanpur	190	46	111	16	5	1	11. Referred to High Court.
Muzaffarnagar	176	6	124	37	7	2	
Dehra Dun	18	...	7	1	1	...	9. Ditto ditto.
Meerut	206	91	77	33	...	...	5. Ditto ditto.
Bulandshahr	143	29	70	38	...	1	5. Ditto ditto.
Aligarh	264	175	34	53	...	2	
Etah	88	53	16	19	...	...	
Moradabad	144	5	98	37	...	4	
Bijnor	39	3	32	3	...	1	
Bareilly	142	2	85	50	...	5	
Budaun	33	...	30	2	...	...	1. Transferred to Shâhjahânpur.
Shâhjahanpur	130	17	68	36	...	9	
Agra	130	76	18	36	...	...	
Mutra	79	28	15	34	...	...	
Farukhabad	105	30	52	19	1	3	
Mainpuri	36	4	19	12	...	1	
Etawah	53	8	19	23	...	1	2. Referred to High Court.
Cawnpore	242	89	38	42	26	7	40. Ditto ditto.
Fatehpur	63	13	25	17	4	...	4. Ditto ditto.
Banda	124	40	32	28	17	1	6. Ditto ditto.
Hamirpur	106	21	15	26	2	37	5. Ditto ditto.
Allahabad	188	27	88	57	1	7	8. Ditto ditto.
Gorakhpur	317	142	104	58	3	...	5. Ditto ditto.
Basti	139	45	41	39	5	4	5. Ditto ditto.
Azamgarh	61	8	35	11	...	4	3. Ditto ditto.
Jaunpur	84	28	35	12	...	...	9. Ditto ditto.
Mirzapur	107	38	48	21	...	...	
Benares	389	35	230	118	4	...	4. Ditto ditto.
Ghazipur	168	6	113	39	...	...	
Kumaun	139	50	70	15	...	3	1. Ditto ditto.
Garhwal	15	4	9	...	1	1	
Tarai	8	...	8	...	...	...	
Jhansi	16	4	9	3	...	...	
Jalaun	74	23	27	24	...	...	
Lalitpur	88	23	46	19	...	...	
Total ...	4,294	1,169	1,848	978	82	94	123

No. 8—*Statement showing the result of commitments to Courts of Session during the year* 1878.

Districts.	Number of persons committed including those awaiting trial at the end of the previous year.	*Persons disposed of*		Persons remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.	Percentage of persons convicted to total number disposed of.
		Convicted including those whose sentences were referred for confirmation to the High Court.	Acquitted.		
Saharanpur	50	37	9	4	·80
Muzaffarnagar	(*k*) 99	74	17	7	·80
Dehra Dun	12	8	3	1	·73
Meerut	152	94	57	1	·60
Bulandshahr	98	65	33	...	·65
Aligarh	126	66	53	7	·55
Etah	83	59	18	6	·76
Moradabad	105	85	10	10	·90
Bijnor	61	44	7	10	·94
Bareilly	(*a*) 281	195	69	14	·74
Budaun	176	135	27	14	·83
Shâhjahânpur	(*b*) 380	286	56	1	·84
Agra	(*c*) 150	92	51	6	·64
Muttra	74	55	19	...	·74
Farukhabad	145	129	16	...	·93
Mainpuri	(*i*) 109	84	22	2	·79
Etawâh	(*j*) 145	94	21	29	·81
Cawnpore	(*e*) 288	225	53	7	·80
Fatehpur	105	85	15	5	·85
Banda	(*h*) 122	57	59	5	·49
Hamirpur	114	77	24	13	·76
Allahabad	(*f*) 263	163	55	38	·76
Gorakhpur	102	69	19	14	·78
Basti	163	33	30	50	·70
Azamgarh	135	107	23	5	·82
Jaunpur	92	67	25	...	·73
Mirzapur	(*d*) 162	112	34	15	·76
Benares	60	43	17	...	·72
Ghazipur	118	111	3	4	·94
Kumaun	8	7	1	...	·87
Garhwal	5	2	3	...	·40
Târai	5	4	1	...	·80
Jhânsi	11	11	...	...	·100
Jalaun	(*g*) 88	78	4	2	·95
Lalitpur	2	2	...	...	·100
Total ...	4,089	2,905	854	270	·77

(*a*) 1 died. 1 escaped. 1 transferred.
(*b*) 87 transferred &c.
(*c*) 1 died.
(*d*) 1 died.
(*e*) 3 transferred.
(*f*) 7 transferred.
(*g*) 4 transferred.
(*h*) 1 died.
(*i*) 1 died.
(*j*) 1 died.
(*k*) 1 died.

No. 9.—Statement shewing the amount of business disposed of by Sessions Judges during the year 1878.

Names of Sessions Judges and districts.		Commitments. Number of persons. Committed including those awaiting trial at the end of last year.	Convicted and sentenced.	Sentenced to death referred for confirmation.	Acquitted.	Remaining undisposed of at the end of the year	Appeals. Number of persons. Number of appellants.	Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences modified.	Sentences reversed.	Remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.
Azamgarh ...	H. D. Willock, Esq. ...	135	103	4	23	5	(a) 61	8	35	6	5	4
Farukhabad ...	R. F. Saunders, Esq. ...	95	84	...	11	...	(b) 97	29	45	13	6	3
	C. W. Watts, Esq. ...	50	39	6	5	...	8	1	7	...	...	...
Kumaun division.	Major-General Sir H. Ramsay.	18	12	1	5	...	(c) 162	54	87	5	10	4
Aligarh ...	G. E. Watson, Esq. ...	126	50	1	51	7	264	160	22	7	29	2
	G. L. Lang, Esq. ...		11	4	2			15	12	2	15	
Etah ...	G. E. Watson, Esq. ...	83	29	3	16	6	88	44	6	3	5	...
	G. L. Lang, Esq. ...		23	4	2			9	10	...	11	...
Bareilly and Budaun.	C. Daniell, Esq ...	(d) 457	56	1	35	...	(e) 175	...	7	2	8	...
	J. Simson, Esq. ...		48	1	7	...		...	20	1	1	...
	W. Tyrrell, Esq. ...		207	17	54	28		2	88	24	16	5
Shâhjahânpur,	J. Power Esq. ...	(f) 380	10	7	12	...	130	3	9	...	5	...
	W. Duthoit, Esq. ...		253	16	44	1		14	59	14	17	9
Agra and Muttra,	H. G. Keene, Esq. ...	(g) 224	137	10	70	6	209	104	33	42	30	...
Ghâzipur ...	J. W. Power, Esq. ...	118	39	3	...	4	158	4	53	2	2	...
	R. Wall, Esq. ...		68	1	3			2	60	19	16	...
Mirzapur ...	H. A. Harrison, Esq. ...	162	111	1	34	15	107	38	48	4	17	...
Jaunpur ...	M. Brodhurst, Esq. ...	92	67	...	25	...	84	28	35	...	12	...
Meerut ...	S. S. Melvill, Esq. ...	152	81	13	57	1	(h) 206	91	77	4	29	...
	R. M. King, Esq ...											
Bulandshahr,	S. S. Melville, Esq. ...	98	64	1	33	...	(i) 143	29	70	7	31	1
	R. M. King, Esq. ...											
Cawnpore ...	J. H. Prinsep, Esq. ...	(j) 288	316	9	53	7	(k) 242	89	38	15	27	7
Fatehpur ...	J. H. Prinsep, Esq. ...	105	75	10	15	5	(l) 63	13	25	7	10	...
Gorakhpur & Basti.	R. Wall, Esq. ...	265	1	...	...	64	(m) 456	2	7	...	...	...
	C. J. Daniell, Esq. ...		146	5	49			185	138	48	49	4
Saháranpur ...	W. C. Turner, Esq. ...	(n) 161	51	4	18	12	(o) 384	20	141	15	9	...
	H. Chase, Esq. ...		62	2	11			32	101	9	21	3
Allahabad ...	H. Lushington, Esq. ...	(p) 263	89	2	22	38	(q) 188	5	49	27	10	7
	J. W. Quinton, Esq. ...		21	...	12	...		14	23	6	5	...
	H. A. Harrison, Esq. ...		48	3	21	...		8	16	...	9	...
Moradabad ...	W. Lane, Esq. ...	63	47	12	4	...	111	4	78	19	10	...
	W. Young, Esq. ...	42	26	...	6	10	33	1	20	2	6	4
Bijnor ...	W. Lane, Esq. ...	41	34	3	4	...	29	3	24	2	...	...
	W. Young, Esq. ...	20	7	...	3	10	10	...	8	1	...	1
	H. B. Webster, Esq. ...	(r) 93	80	5	4	...	132	35	54	17	26	...
Jhánsi ...	G. Adams, Esq. ...	2	2	...	...	...	41	13	26	1	1	...
	J. W. Quinton, Esq. ...	6	4	...	...	2	5	2	2	1	...	...
Bánda ...	E. B. Thornhill, Esq. ...	(i) 122	55	2	59	5	(t) 124	40	32	12	16	1
Hamírpur ...	E. B. Thornhill, Esq. ...	114	74	3	24	13	(u) 106	21	15	8	18	37
Mainpuri ...	W. Tyrrell, Esq. ...	17	13	...	4	...	9	...	3	4	2	...
	W. Young, Esq. ...	(v) 75	56	2	16	...	20	3	12	1	4	...
	W. C. Turner, Esq. ...	17	12	1	2	2	7	1	4	...	1	1
Etáwah ...	W. Tyrrell, Esq. ...	(w) 40	33	5	1	...	(x) 20	8	7	...	4	...
	W. Young, Esq. ...	48	29	5	14	...	(y) 28	...	9	6	12	...
	W. C. Turner, Esq. ...	57	21	1	6	29	5	...	3	...	1	1
Benares ...	M. Brodhurst, Esq. ...	60	42	1	17	...	(z) 389	35	230	43	73	...
	Total	4,089	2,736	169	854	270	4,294	1,169	1,848	399	579	94

(a) 3 Referred to High Court.
(b) 1 Returned for new trial.
(c) 1 Remanded. 1 Referred to High Court. 1 Died.
(d) 1 Escaped. 1 Transferred.
(e) 1 Transferred.
(f) 37 Transferred &c.
(g) 1 Died.
(h) 5 Referred to High Court.
(i) 5 Ditto ditto.
(j) 3 Transferred.
(k) 40 Referred to High Court. 26 Remanded.
(l) 4 Referred to High Court. 4 Remanded.
(m) 10 Referred to High Court. 13 Remanded.
(n) 1 Died.
(o) 20 Referred to High Court. 13 Returned for new trial or further investigation.
(p) 7 Transferred
(q) 1 Returned for new trial. 8 Referred to High Court.
(r) 4 Transferred.
(s) 1 Died.
(t) 6 Referred to High Court. 17 Remanded.
(u) 5 Referred to High Court. 2 Remanded.
(v) 1 Died.
(w) 1 Died.
(x) 1 Referred to High Court.
(y) 1 Ditto ditto.
(z) 4 Remanded. 13 Referred to High Court.

No. 10—*Statement showing degrees of punishment inflicted by Courts of Session during the year 1878.*

PERSONS SENTENCED TO / PERSONS ORDERED TO FIND OR GIVE

District.	Death.	Transportation: For life.	Transportation: For a term.	Penal servitude.	Imprisonment, Rigorous: With solitary confinement.	Imprisonment, Rigorous: Without solitary confinement.	Imprisonment: Simple.	Forfeiture of property.	Fine: With imprisonment.	Fine: Without imprisonment.	Whipping: In addition to other punishment.	Whipping: In lieu of other punishment.	Security to keep the peace.	Recognizance.	Security for good behaviour.
Saháranpur ...	6	11	14	...	...	84	2	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Meerut ...	13	13	4	...	25	28	2	...	7	2	...	...	...	...	...
Bulandshahr ...	1	13	9	...	10	15	...	...	17	...	...	...	...	...	...
Aligarh ...	5	3	6	...	...	51	...	...	...	...	...	*1	...	...	...
Etah ...	7	8	6	...	7	22	...	...	7	...	...	2	...	...	...
Moradabad ...	12	7	1	...	...	65	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bijnor ...	3	5	...	...	...	36	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bareilly ...	19	14	...	...	...	290	...	...	11	6	17	1	...	...	...
Sháhjahánpur ...	23	42	11	...	...	208	...	...	8	1	...	4	...	...	...
Agra ...	10	15	...	...	1	102	1	...	9	2	5	2	...	...	2
Farukhabad ...	6	20	1	...	21	72	6	1	3	...	1	...	...	...	...
Mainpuri ...	3	5	...	...	...	72	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...
Etawáh ...	11	10	...	...	...	68	2	...	...	...	1	3	...	...	...
Cawnpore ...	9	15	2	...	...	195	1	...	17	...	9	3	2	...	...
Fatehpur ...	10	6	...	...	...	69	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Bánda ...	2	9	6	...	...	37	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...
Hamirpur ...	3	6	5	...	...	42	3	...	6	3	4	5	...	...	...
Allahabad ...	5	10	4	...	15	122	4	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...
Gorakhpur ...	5	8	30	...	...	103	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Azamgarh ...	4	3	6	...	9	82	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jaunpur ...	...	4	1	...	1	61	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mirzapur ...	1	9	3	...	13	86	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Benares ...	1	4	7	...	4	47	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gházipur ...	4	7	12	...	...	88	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jhánsi ...	5	21	2	...	...	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Kumaun ...	1	1	...	...	...	11	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	169	269	130	...	106	2,086	22	1	114	14	39	24	2	...	2

DETAIL OF PUNISHMENTS.

District.	Fine: Rs. 10 and under.	Rs. 50 and under.	Rs. 100 and under.	Rs. 500 and under.	Rs. 1,000 and under.	Above Rs. 1,000.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	Imprisonment, 15 days: Rigorous.	15 days: Simple.	6 months: Rigorous.	6 months: Simple.	2 years: Rigorous.	2 years: Simple.	Not exceeding 7 years: Rigorous.	Not exceeding 7 years: Simple.	Above 7 years: Rigorous.	Above 7 years: Simple.	Whipped: 10 stripes and under.	20 stripes and under.	30 stripes and under.
Saháranpur	...	3	...	1	1	...	1,350	200	...	...	...	4	2	23	...	60	...	2	...	...	...	...
Meerut	...	4	2	...	1	...	1,360	669	549	1	1	6	1	15	...	35	...	3	...	...	...	3
Bulandshahr	11	2	1	...	...	...	360	20	...	...	...	5	...	10	...	15	...	2	...	...	...	...
Aligarh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	36	...	34	...	...	...	...	1	...
Etah	...	7	...	...	...	...	350	...	...	...	...	2	...	16	...	18	...	...	...	...	2	...
Moradabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	9	...	40	...	13	...	...	...	...
Bijnor	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	8	...	26	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bareilly	8	2	5	2	...	...	1,060	122	...	...	...	21	...	66	...	197	...	6	...	...	10	8
Sháhjahánpur	...	6	2	1	...	...	700	298	96	...	...	8	2	39	...	145	...	22	...	...	2	2
Agra	5	3	1	2	...	...	700	46	210	6	1	20	...	39	...	49	...	3	...	2	2	3
Farukhabad	...	3	...	...	...	...	24	...	...	...	...	21	3	57	3	10	...	8	...	...	...	1
Mainpuri	...	1	1	2	...	...	500	...	...	...	...	4	...	4	...	59	...	9	...	...	...	...
Etawáh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	14	...	48	...	4	...	...	...	4
Cawnpore	14	2	1	...	...	...	280	3	3	...	...	9	1	74	...	128	...	10	...	...	3	9
Fatehpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	31	...	34	...	...	...	...	1	...
Bánda	...	1	...	...	...	...	26	26	...	1	1	12	...	12	...	14	...	...	...	...	1	...
Hamirpur	1	4	3	1	...	...	585	532	80	...	1	9	3	13	...	28	...	1	...	3	6	...
Allahabad	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	22	...	34	3	70	1	11	...	...	2	1
Gorakhpur	...	2	2	...	...	...	200	14	14	...	...	9	...	26	...	79	...	21	...	...	1	3
Azamgarh	...	2	1	...	...	...	140	5	...	...	...	3	...	17	...	30	...	32	...	...	...	...
Jaunpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	50	50	...	...	7	...	9	...	31	...	11	...	...	...	...
Mirzapur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	31	...	65	...	...	...	...	...	...
Benares	8	2	...	...	...	...	155	105	76	...	...	...	...	8	...	21	...	2	...	...	...	...
Gházipur	...	2	...	1	...	1	2,833	25	25	...	...	3	...	22	...	50	...	32	...	...	...	...
Jhánsi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	8	...	46	...	6	...	...	...	1
Kumaun	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	4	...	3	...	2	...	...	...	...
Total	47	46	19	10	2	1	10,623	2,121	1,103	8	4	189	14	602	6	1,349	1	200	...	5	31	35

No. 11.—*Statement showing particulars of trials held by Courts of Session with aid of Assessors during the year* 1878.

Name of district.	Average number of Assessors in each case.	Number of cases tried with assessors.	Number of persons of classes employed as assessors.							Number of cases in which Judge agreed with assessors.	Number of cases in which Judge differed from assessors.	Number of persons fined for non attendance.	Amount of fines imposed.	Remarks.
			Pleaders.	Bankers or traders.	Engaged in service.	Agriculturists.	Land-holders.	Other classes.	Total.					
Saháranpur ...	3	81	3	92	...	...	130	18	243	68	13	1	10	
Muzaffarnagar ...														
Dehra Dun ...														
Meerut	3	71	...	88	60	3	50	9	210	60	11	...	...	
Bulandshahr ...	3	33	...	20	30	10	20	10	90	24	9	...	...	
Aligarh	3	28	1	42	10	...	43	4	100	26	2	...	...	
Etah	3	39	...	13	9	...	76	14	112	37	2	...	...	
Moradabad ...	3	49	...	28	5	...	81	...	114	38	11	...	...	
Bijnor	3	24	...	8	...	1	43	...	52	19	5	...	...	
Bareilly	3	120	...	98	26	14	205	17	360	107	13	...	...	
Budaun	3	67	...	21	15	36	98	31	201	62	5	...	...	
Sháhjahánpur ...	3	131	...	23	8	...	358	...	392	114	17	55	179	
Agra	3	52	16	105	10	5	12	8	156	43	9	12	88	
Muttra	3	30	5	60	5	...	12	8	90	24	6	4	20	
Farukhabad ...	3	33	...	2	9	...	38	56	105	30	3	...	...	
Mainpuri	3	34	...	36	...	...	66	...	102	33	1	3	45	
Etawah	3	45	...	51	15	...	65	4	135	40	5	4	41	
Cawnpore	3	125	47	174	35	...	110	6	372	112	13	...	...	
Fatehpur	3	49	...	57	25	3	50	12	147	41	8	...	...	
Banda	3	42	7	18	21	...	51	38	125	31	11	...	...	
Hamirpur	3	63	7	2	26	7	131	16	189	55	8	...	...	
Allahabad	3	84	...	87	18	...	140	5	250	69	15	...	...	
Gorakhpur	3	57	...	47	1	...	122	...	170	42	15	...	...	
Basti	3	44	...	2	...	...	129	...	131	34	10	2	50	
Azamgarh	3	68	...	4	...	...	200	...	204	57	11	11	210	
Jaunpur	3	31	16	33	3	...	32	8	92	30	1	...	...	
Mirzapur	3	50	...	50	20	35	45	...	150	44	6	...	...	
Benares	3	42	...	70	16	...	33	5	124	42	...	...	...	
Ghazipur	3	61	...	33	1	2	139	8	183	53	8	3	25	
Kumaun	3	8	2	15	...	...	7	...	24	7	1	...	...	
Garhwal	3	5	1	5	2	...	7	...	15	4	1	...	...	
Tarai	3	2	...	2	...	...	4	...	6	2	...	...	...	
Jhansi														
Jalaun	3	31	4	39	...	13	27	...	83	30	1	...	...	
Lalitpur														
Total ...	3	1,599	109	1,828	370	129	2,514	277	4,727	1,378	221	93	668	

No. 12.—Statement showing the average number of days during which each trial and appeal lasted in Courts of Session during the year 1878.

District.	*Trial of committed cases.*		*Appeals.*	
	Number of trials disposed of during the year 1878.	Average number of days during which each trial lasted.	Number of appeals disposed of during the year 1878.	Average number of days during which each appeal lasted.
Saharánpur				
Muzaffarnagar	85	47	240	21
Dehra Dún				
Meerut	70	19	103	5
Bulandshahr	29	20	98	3
Aligarh	34	4	155	5
Etah	44	2	53	6
Moradabad	55	23	108	15
Bijnor	31	29	31	14
Bareilly	140	27	137	15
Budaun	71	30	33	13
Sháhjahánpur	147	29	85	15
Agra	68	18	81	6
Muttra	38	23	47	8
Farukhabad	57	26	67	12
Mainpuri	35	18	29	17
Etáwah	45	64	31	13
Cawnpore	127	19	168	17
Fatehpur	49	29	50	26
Bánda	42	55	49	17
Hamírpur	63	59	52	28
Allahabad	109	31	104	16
Gorakhpur	60	50	145	8
Basti	46	59	74	34
Azamgarh	68	27	43	13
Jaunpur	32	27	57	11
Mirzapur	65	26	59	13
Benares	45	18	331	6
Gházipur	67	26	67	14
Kumaun	8	7	96	15
Garhwál	5	10	15	17
Tarái	2	9	6	25
Jhánsi	9	25	13	9
Jalaun	20	39	31	9
Lalitpur	2	52	73	9
Total	1,763	30	2,749	14

No. 13.—*Cases on reference, appeal and revision, before the High Court of Judicature, North-Western Provinces.*

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
		Result of cases referred by Courts of Session for confirmation of sentence of death.					*Number of persons whose cases were appealed.*				*Number of persons whose cases were called for under section 294, Act X. of 1872.*				*Number of persons whose cases were submitted under section 296, Act X. of 1872.*					
Zila.	Names of Sessions Judges.	Number of persons whose sentences were referred for confirmation.	Number of persons whose sentences were confirmed.	Number of persons whose sentences were modified.	Number of persons who were acquitted.	Total.	Number in respect to whom order was confirmed.	Number in respect to whom order was modified or remanded.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Number in respect to whom order was confirmed.	Number in respect to wh in order was modified or remanded.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Number in respect to whom order was confirmed.	Number in respect to whom order was modified or remanded.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Percentage of column 4 to column 3.	Percentage of columns 5, 12 and 16 to co umns 11, 15 and 19.
Azamgarh	H. D. Willock, Esq.	4	3	1	...	4	29	15	5	49	3	5	...	8	18	3	...	21	·75	·84
Farukhabad	R. F Saunders, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	19	8	...	27	8	14	...	22	9	...	..	9	...	·62
	C. W. Watts, Esq.	6	3	1	2	6	6	5	11	22	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	·50	·14
Kumaun	Major-General the Hon'ble Sir H. Ramsay.	1	1	...	...	1	3	1	1	5	2	1	6	9	3	...	...	3	·100	·47
Aligarh	G. E. Watson, Esq.	4	3	1	...	4	11	6	...	17	12	4	8	24	5	1	...	6	·75	·59
	G. L. Lang, Esq.	8	4	2	2	8	10	...	1	11	1	2	...	3	2	...	...	2	·50	·81
Bareilly	W. Tyrrell, Esq.	17	17	...	...	17	105	10	11	126	...	6	...	6	8	1	...	9	·100	·60
	C. A. Daniell, Esq.	1	1	...	...	1	13	...	...	13	2	...	...	2	3	...	...	3	·100	·100
	J. Simson, Esq.	1	...	1	...	1	14	...	2	16	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	·82
Sháhjahánpur	J. Power, Esq.	7	4	3	...	7	18	...	...	18	3	...	...	3	1	1	...	2	·57	·96
	W. Duthoit, Esq.	16	14	1	1	16	88	31	10	129	2	...	...	2	2	3	...	5	·87	·97
Agra	H. G. Keene, Esq.	10	6	2	2	10	22	5	4	31	11	6	...	17	5	4	...	9	60	·64
Mirzapur	H. A. Harrison, Esq.	1	...	1	...	1	20	5	4	29	9	7	1	17	2	...	...	2	..	·68
Gházipur	J. W. Power, Esq.	3	3	...	...	3	10	2	2	14	4	...	...	4	1	...	...	1	·100	·72
	R. Wall, Esq.	1	1	...	...	1	23	...	2	25	4	2	2	8	5	1	...	6	·100	·84
Meerut	S. S. Melville, Esq.	1	1	...	...	1	14	4	...	18	11	15	12	38	1	...	...	1	·100	·46
	R. M. King, Esq.	13	9	4	...	13	8	3	...	11	13	1	2	16	14	10	...	24	·69	·69
Cawnpore	J. H. Prinsep, Esq.	19	18	1	...	19	58	2	3	63	19	15	2	36	48	11	...	59	95	·52
		...	...	...	...	...	30	...	2	32	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	·90
Gorakhpur	R. Wall, Esq.	5	5	...	...	5	48	8	4	60	11	...	1	12	11	13	...	24	·100	·74

No. 13.—Cases on reference, appeal and revision, before the High Court of Judicature, North-Western Provinces—(concluded).

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21
		Result of cases referred by Courts of Session for confirmation of sentence of death.					*Number of persons whose cases were appealed.*				*Number of persons whose cases were called for under section 294, Act X. of 1872.*				*Number of persons whose cases were submitted under section 296, Act X. of 1872*					
Zila.	Name of Sessions Judges.	Number of persons whose sentences were referred for confirmation.	Number of persons whose sentences were confirmed.	Number of persons whose sentences were modified.	Number of persons who were acquitted.	Total.	Number in respect to whom order was confirmed.	Number in respect to whom order was modified or remanded.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Number in respect to whom order was confirmed.	Number in respect to whom order was modified or remanded.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Number in respect to whom order was confirmed.	Number in respect to whom order was modified or remanded.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Percentage of column 4 to column 3.	Percentage of columns 5, 12 and 16 to columns 11, 15 and 19.
Sahâranpur	H. Chase, Esq.	2	1	1	...	2	15	3	...	18	...	1	...	1	6	21	...	27	·50	·43
	W. C. Turner, Esq.	4	3	1	...	4	21	3	...	24	19	8	1	28	15	4	...	19	·75	·78
Allahabad	H. Lushington, Esq.	2	...	...	1	2	5	4	6	15	3	3	...	6	1	4	...	5	·50	·33
	J. W. Quinton, Esq	...	...	...	...	...	6	1	6	13	...	...	...	...	5	1	...	6	...	·60
	H. A. Harrison, Esq.	3	3	...	...	3	9	...	...	9	...	6	...	6	...	...	...	...	·100	·60
Jhánsi	H. B. Webster, Esq.	5	5	...	...	5	54	...	8	62	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	·100	·88
	C. A. Daniell, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	20	...	...	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	·100
	G. Adams, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	100
	J. W. Quinton, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	·100
	J. S Porter, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	6	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	·14
	Major J. Liston	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	3	...	·100
	Colonel G. Davidson	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
	R. A. Story, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	·100
	P. White, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	·100
Bánda	E. B. Thornhill, Esq.	6	5	1	...	6	18	5	1	24	2	2	...	4	89	10	...	99	·83	·86
Moradabad	W. Lane, Esq.	15	15	...	...	15	14	...	...	14	6	3	...	9	7	...	...	7	·100	·93
	W. Young, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	4	...	·100
Mainpuri	C. J. Daniell, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	14	...	...	14	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	·100
	W. Tyrrell, Esq.	5	4	1	...	5	1	...	...	1	...	3	...	3	3	...	...	3	·80	·62
	W. Young, Esq.	7	7	...	...	7	14	1	...	15	...	6	...	6	2	3	...	5	·100	·62
	W. C. Turner, Esq.	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	·100	·100
Benares	M. Brodhurst, Esq.	1	1	...	...	1	22	3	1	26	4	...	2	6	12	3	...	15	·100	·81
	Total ...	169	139	22	8	169	772	126	90	988	150	112	37	299	287	97	...	384	·82	·72

No. 14.—*Statement of business disposed of in the High Court of Judicature for the North-Western Provinces in the year 1878, original side.*

	Cases.		Disposed of on merits.	Before.				Otherwise disposed of.	Days of sittings.
	Remaining from the year 1877.	Filed in the year 1878.		One Civilian Judge.	One Barister Judge.	One Barister and one Civilian Judge.	One Barister and two Civilian Judges.		
Criminal trials	...	5	5	...	5	...	...	...	3

No. 15.—*Statement showing the nature of the penalties inflicted under the judgment of the High Court.*

Penalties. (A)	Appellate Jurisdiction.		Original Jurisdiction.	
	1877.	1878.	1877.	1878.
Death	98	139	...	...
Transportation for life	27	25	...	...
Transportation above 7 years and not exceeding 14 years	12	8	...	...
Imprisonment for life	...	...	...	...
Ditto above 12 years and not exceeding 21 years	...	3	...	...
Ditto above 5 years and not exceeding 10 years	42	37	...	...
Ditto not exceeding 5 years	190	179	...	4
The average duration of cases in the High Court was a little less than 14 days.				

Note.—(A). This statement shows confirmations of sentences of death and penalties inflicted by the High Court in supersession of sentences of Lower Courts.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. II.—(CRIMINAL).

Statement of offences reported, and of persons tried, convicted, and acquitted for each offence, in the North-Western Provinces, in the year 1878.

Description of offences.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
CLASS I.							
OFFENCES AGAINST THE STATE, THE PUBLIC AND JUSTICE.							
Against the State.							
Waging war against the Queen, 121 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Collecting arms or concealing attempt to wage war, 122, 123	...	...	...	...	...	...	
War or depredation on allied powers, 125 to 127	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Abetment of mutiny, 131, 132 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Diminishing or altering coin, 246, 249 ...	15	16	6	10	...	...	
Counterfeiting coin, 231 to 238	20	22	4	17	...	1	
Passing or possessing bad or altered coin, 239 to 243, and 250 to 254.	254	264	70	192	1	1	
Counterfeiting stamps or selling counterfeit, stamps, 255 to 259.	3	5	3	2	...	...	
Using as genuine counterfeit stamps or effacing or altering stamps, 260 to 263.	25	36	16	16	...	4	
Making, using, or possessing false weights or measures, 264 to 267.	257	412	138	273	...	1	
Against Public Justice.							
Personating public servant or soldier, 140, 170, 171.	42	55	14	41	...	...	
Concealing design to commit offence or giving false information, 176, 177, 181, 182, 202, 203.	956	1,296	381	902	2	11	
Causing disappearance of evidence, 201 and 204,	33	61	19	41	...	1	
Resisting or obstructing or omitting to assist public servant, 183 to 187, 189, 190.	643	1,361	409	931	...	21	
Disobedience of lawful order, causing injury, 181.	656	1,860	384	1,471	5	...	
Intentional insult or interruption in judicial proceeding, 228.	272	304	13	291	...	...	
Harbouring an offender, 212, 216 ...	26	47	12	33	1	1	
Taking gift to screen offender, 213 to 215 ...	131	228	109	107	...	12	
Resistance to lawful apprehension and rescue, 224 and 225.	211	320	71	245	...	4	
Escape from lawful custody or transportation, 224 to 226.	141	147	18	122	5	2	
Absconding from, avoiding, or disobeying summons, or notice, or order to attend or produce or refusing to answer or sign, 172 to 175, and 178 to 180.	755	1,408	249	1,158	...	1	
By Public Servants.							
Taking valuable thing by or to influence, public servant, 161 to 165.	206	271	133	114	...	24	
Public servant acting illegally to injure any person, 166 and 167.	32	28	13	14	...	1	
Public servant, unlawfully trading, 168 and 169	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Public servant, fraudulently defeating punishment or forfeiture, 217 and 218.	10	18	...	18	...	...	
Public servant corruptly or maliciously making order or decision contrary to law, 219 and 220.	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Public servant intentionally omitting to apprehend, or permitting to escape, 221 and 222.	23	38	16	22	...	...	
Public servant negligently suffering escape, 129, 223.	67	127	19	108	...	...	
Breach of Police Act by Police Officers ...	144	191	24	166	...	1	
False evidence, false complaints or claims, and forgery.							
Giving false evidence, 193 to 196 ...	320	584	217	344	8	15	
Fabricating false evidence, 193 to 196 ...	10	16	5	10	...	1	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. II.—(Criminal.)

Statement of offences reported and of persons tried, convicted, and acquitted for each offence, in the districts of the North-Western Provinces, in the year 1876.—(continued.)

Description of offences.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
False evidence, false complaints or claims, and forgery.—(concluded.)							
Making, issuing, or using false statement or certificate, 197 to 200.	7	5	2	3	...	...	
False personation in judicial proceedings, 205 to 229.	16	17	5	10	...	2	
Fradulent claim to, or concealment of property, or suffering decree, 206 to 208, 421 to 424.	35	67	43	24	...	...	
False claim in Court of Justice, 209, 210 ...	9	13	3	10	...	...	
False charge of offence, 211	265	317	140	166	1	10	
Frivolous or vexatious complaint, C. P., 469 ...	269	333	8	324	...	1	
Forgery or fraudulently using or possessing forged document, 465, 466, 467, 469, 471, 473, to 477.	120	181	103	64	1	13	
Making or using false trade marks, 482 to 489,	1	1	...	1	...	...	
Public Nuisances.							
Public nuisances under Penal Code, 269 to 294,	711	1,673	241	1,430	1	1	
Nuisances under Police, or Municipal and Local Acts.	5,134	11,719	742	10,962	1	14	
Relating to the Public.							
Rioting or unlawful assembly, 143 to 158, 157, 158.	227	1,875	382	1,441	1	51	
Omitting to inform of, or prevent riot, 154 to 156.	2	6	2	4	...	...	
Affray 160.	499	1,849	325	1,520	1	3	
Offences relating to religion, 295 to 298 ...	35	45	20	25	...	...	
Class II.							
Offences against the person.							
By thags	...	...	...	...	...	...	
By dacoits	...	4	...	4	...	...	
By robbers	14	18	1	17	...	...	
By poison ... For sake of robbery ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
By poison ... From other motives ...	16	21	5	13	...	3	
Other murders, From motives connected with women.	24	38	...	23	...	15	
Other murders, From other motives ...	363	651	126	416	7	102	
Attempt to murder, 307	96	99	14	57	6	22	
Culpable homicide, 304 to 308	313	585	176	333	1	75	
Abetment of suicide, 305 to 366	19	32	9	22	1	...	
Attempt to commit suicide, 309	950	738	154	571	7	6	
Causing miscarriage, 312 to 316	24	37	16	21	...	...	
Exposure of infant, or concealment of birth, 317, 318.	196	156	37	97	2	20	
Grievous hurt, 325, 326	1,146	1,620	395	1,163	49	13	
Grievous hurt, on grave and sudden provocation, 335.	51	69	8	61	...	...	
Hurt, 323 to 384	31,932	11,511	5,296	6,126	63	26	
Hurt, by dangerous weapons, 324	258	216	54	159	1	2	
Administering stupefying drugs, 322 ...	44	49	13	31	2	3	
Causing hurt to extort property or confession, 327, 329 to 333.	43	102	32	67	...	3	
Act dangerous to life or safety, 336, 337 ...	12	15	3	12	...	...	
Wrongful restraint, 341	708	692	424	264	...	4	
Wrongful confinement, 342 to 346 ...	340	260	177	83	...	...	
Wrongful confinement to extort property or confession, 347, 348.	8	13	7	6	...	...	
Assault or use of criminal force, 352, 355, 358	7,171	9,498	4,965	4,471	24	38	
Criminal force to deter a public servant, 353 ...	38	95	32	63	...	...	
Assault or use of criminal force to a woman, 354.	35	38	11	27	...	...	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. II.—(Criminal).

Statement of offences reported, and of persons tried, convicted, and acquitted for each offence, in the districts of the North-Western Provinces, in the year 1876—(continued).

Description of offences.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
Offences against the person—(concluded).							
Criminal intimidation or insult, 504 to 509 ...	511	538	283	253	1	1	
Causing annoyance in state of intoxication, 510	5	6	1	5	...	...	
Unlawful compulsion of labour, 374 ...	8	11	6	4	...	1	
Buying or disposing of any person as a slave, 370, 371.	6	17	10	7	...	...	
Kidnapping or abduction, 363 to 365, 367 to 369,	357	667	211	399	25	32	
Abducting a woman to compel marriage or for defilement, 366.	30	62	16	40	5	1	
Causing death by rash or negligent act ...	15	24	8	16	...	...	
Selling, letting or unlawfully obtaining a woman for purposes of prostitution, 372, 373.	73	145	46	86	4	9	
Enticing a married woman with criminal intent, 498.	1,424	1,229	845	357	5	22	
Fraudulent and unlawful marriages, 493 to 496	138	103	84	7	...	12	
Adultery, 497	81	104	74	23	...	7	
Rape, 376	202	146	79	49	...	18	
Unnatural offences, 377	73	64	26	32	...	6	
Defamation, 500 to 502	162	164	114	43	2	5	
Class III.							
Offences against property with violence.							
Dacoity, 395 to 398	113	879	199	499	30	151	
Preparation or assembly for dacoity, 399 to 402,	1	1	...	1	...	...	
Robbery with hurt or deadly weapon. — By poison or stupefying drugs. — 394, 397, 398	15	18	1	17	...	...	
Robbery with hurt or deadly weapon. — By other means. — 394, 397, 398	42	86	6	69	...	11	
Robbery — In a dwelling house „ ...	13	19	4	15	...	...	
Robbery — On the high way „ ...	18	19	9	4	...	6	
Robbery — Elsewhere	459	548	179	351	...	18	
Extortion, 384 to 389	869	463	300	159	...	4	
House breaking or house trespass in order to commit theft, 451, 454, 457.	43,776	11,476	1,432	9,891	112	41	
House-breaking or house-trespass in order to commit an offence other than theft, 449, 450, 451, 454, 457.	127	408	59	349	...	...	
House-breaking or house-trespass with preparation for or attempt at hurt, 452, 455, 458, 460.	132	107	19	82	6	...	
House-breaking or lurking house-trespass, 452, 455, 458.	328	120	26	94	...	...	
Without violence.							
Theft of cattle ... — 379, 380, 381 ...	6,056	3,570	555	2,953	24	38	
Theft ordinary ... — 379, 380, 381 ...	61,852	41,183	5,533	35,220	381	49	
Theft after preparation for causing death, 382,	2	10	7	3	...	...	
Dishonestly receiving stolen property, 411 to 414.	9,349	14,576	2,797	11,537	200	42	
Dishonest mis-appropriation of property, 403, 404.	719	828	273	551	3	1	
Criminal breach of trust, 406 to 409 ...	1,220	1,075	426	631	5	13	
Cheating, 417 to 420 ...	2,073	1,035	548	438	7	42	
Sale of obscene books, 292 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Malicious offences.							
Mischief, ordinary, 426, 427, 430 to 433 ...	5,585	5,221	3,160	2,023	16	22	
Ditto, by poisoning or killing cattle, 428, 429,	600	598	163	433	1	1	
Ditto, by destroying landmarks, 434 ...	23	29	9	20	...	...	
Serious mischief by fire, 435, 436 to 438 ...	341	120	71	37	...	12	
Criminal trespass or house-trespass, 447, 448 ...	3,323	3,357	1,875	1,456	12	14	
Breaking closed receptacle, 461, 462 ...	30	48	12	32	3	1	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. II.—(Criminal).

Statement of offences reported, and of persons tried, convicted, and acquitted for each offence, in the districts of the North-Western Provinces, in the year 1876—(continued).

Description of offences.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
CLASS IV.							
Not included in the above classes.							
Belonging to a gang of thags, 311 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Ditto ditto dacoits, 400 ...	4	6	4	1	...	1	
Ditto ditto thieves, 401 ...	6	22	7	15	...	...	
Criminal breaches of contracts of service, 490 to 492.	41	105	13	92	...	...	
Attempt to commit offences, 511	3,574	355	87	267	1	...	
BREACHES OF SPECIAL LAWS FOR THE PROTECTION OF THE REVENUE, OR ON OTHER SUBJECTS, THE ACTS BEING SPECIFIED.							
Breaches of Laws relating to—							
Excise on spirits and drugs, Act X., 1871 ...	939	1,298	244	1,043	6	5	
Opium, Acts, XIII., 1857, and I., 1878, ...	723	1,032	149	877	...	6	
Inland Customs, Act VIII., 1875	1,441	2,500	163	2,330	2	5	
Stamp Act XVIII., 1869	1,271	3,815	1,231	2,569	3	12	
Post-office, Act XIV., 1866	20	24	7	15	...	2	
Electric Telegraph, Act I., 1876	7	8	...	8	...	...	
Police chaukidárs, Act XX., 1856	36	55	10	45	...	...	
Municipalities, Act XV., 1873	4,167	6,587	873	5,712	...	2	
Jails, Acts XXVI., 1870, and V., 1871 ...	56	71	5	66	...	...	
Forests, Acts VII., 1865, and VII., 1878 ...	10	88	10	78	...	...	
Ferries, Regulation VI., 1819	11	16	7	9	...	...	
Canal Act VIII., 1873	2,489	6,196	1,021	5,160	10	5	
Railways, Acts XVIII., 1854, and LII., 1860, ...	407	580	102	476	1	1	
Stage coaches, XVI., 1861	157	199	42	157	...	...	
Press Act XXV., 1867	1	...	...	...	...	...	
Gaming and lotteries, Act III., 1867 ...	429	2,135	289	1,837	...	9	
Cattle-trespass, Act I., 1871	778	976	308	665	...	3	
Possession of Arms, Act XXXI., 1860 ...	401	506	114	389	1	2	
Emigration, Act VII., 1871	10	15	8	7	...	...	
Criminal Tribes and Eunuchs Act XXVII., 1871,	37	109	16	92	...	1	
Section 85, Mutiny Act	3	6	5	1	...	...	
Paraos and Sarais Act XXII., 1867 ...	2	3	1	2	...	...	
Infanticide, Act VIII., 1870	297	558	95	461	1	1	
Contagious diseases, Act XIV., 1868 ...	128	207	21	186	...	...	
License Tax Acts VIII., 1877, and II., 1878 ...	819	1,281	47	1,234	...	...	
Act V., 1861 (other than nuisances) ...	1,308	2,497	155	2,341	1	...	
Pleaders XX., 1865	1	1	...	1	...	...	
Contract by workmen XIII., 1859 ...	3	3	1	2	...	...	
Villages and Road Police, Act XVI., 1873 ...	330	453	69	383	...	1	
Registration, Act III., 1877	5	12	3	6	...	3	
Failing to give notice of finding treasure, Act VI., 1878.	7	13	3	9	...	1	
Infringement of rules under Cantonment, Act XXII., 1864.	1,763	2,984	272	2,709	...	3	
Total* ...	218,161	177,597	41,162	134,186	1,059	1,196	

* Proceedings under Chapters XXVIII, XXXVII, XXXVIII, XXXIX, XL, and XLI of the Code of Criminal Procedure are not shown in this statement. They are included in the entries in statement No. 1.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. III.—CRIMINAL.

Statement showing the general result of criminal trials in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1878.

	Remaining at the end of last year.	Number of persons dealt with						Persons disposed of					Remaining at the end of the year.	Average number of days during which each case lasted.	Number of witnesses who attended.	Remarks.
		Brought to trial during the year.				Received by transfer.	Total.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped, or transferred.				
		Under arrest by Police.	Upon warrant.	On summons.	Voluntarily.											
Village officers, unpaid Magistrates ...	96	10,353	222	8,023	321	...	19,015	2,233	1,907	14,450	197	226	2	6	29,455	
Local subordinate paid Magistrates ...	247	31,880	1,004	26,288	2,337	36	61,792	8,905	5,563	44,933	1,805	429	157	5	118,569	
Full power Magistrates exercising power throughout the district.	1,209	59,839	2,917	28,652	1,814	710	95,141	9,285	13,009	68,668	3,014	335	807	6	218,277	
Chief Magistrates of districts ...	83	5,251	342	2,512	156	547	8,891	902	1,006	6,537	352	69	25	6	17,147	
Total Magistracy ...	1,635	107,323	4,485	65,475	4,628	1,293	184,839	21,325	21,478	134,588	5,398	1,059	991	6	383,439	
Sessions Courts*	520	3,141	144	17	13	267	4,102	5	847	2,832	115	46	257	29	15,319	
High Court	...	5	...	...	...	...	5	...	1	4	...	...	...	1	36	
Grand Total ...	2,155	110,469	4,629	65,492	4,641	1,560	188,946	21,330	22,316	137,424	5,513	1,105	1,248	12	398,794	

* In this statement, where persons were convicted on more than one charge, the number of charges on which convictions were obtained is entered.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. IV.—(CRIMINAL).

Statement showing the punishments inflicted by various criminal tribunals in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1878.

Class of tribunal.	PERSONS SENTENCED TO—												*Persons ordered to find or give.*		
	Death.	*Transportation.*		Penal servitude.	*Imprisonment.*			Forfeiture of property.	*Fine.*		*Whipping.*		Security to keep the peace.	Recognizance.	Security for good behaviour.
		For life.	For a term.		*Rigorous.*		Simple.		With imprisonment.	Without imprisonment.	In addition to other punishment.	In lieu of other punishment.			
					With solitary confinement.	Without solitary confinement.									
	1.	2.	3.	4.	5.	6.	7.	8.	9.	10.	11.	12.	13.	14.	15.
By village officers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
By unpaid Magistrates	...	...	...	...	...	2,530	67	...	186	10,039	84	1,398	...	2	37
By subordinate local paid Magistrates ...	...	...	...	...	29	13,650	736	...	1,187	24,112	238	4,995	...	11	...
By full power Magistrates of general jurisdiction ...	...	...	...	...	482	23,524	970	...	2,120	23,771	1,107	14,252	847	1,375	1,075
By Chief Magistrates of Districts ...	...	...	...	...	16	2,053	122	...	138	1,912	153	1,535	129	133	127
By Sessions Court ...	169	269	130	...	106	2,086	22	1	114	14	39	24	2	...	2
By High Court ...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	169	269	130	...	633	43,847	1,917	1	3,745	59,848	1,621	22,204	978	1,521	1,241

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. IV.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing the punishments inflicted by various criminal tribunals in the North-Western Provinces, in the year 1878.—(continued.)

Class of tribunal.	DETAIL OF PUNISHMENT.																					
	FINE.									IMPRISONMENT.											WHIPPED.		
										15 *days.*		6 *months.*		2 *years.*		7 *years.*		*above* 7 *years.*				
	Rs. 10 and under.	Rs. 50 and under.	Rs. 100 and under.	Rs. 500 and under.	Rs. 1,000 and under.	Above Rs. 1,000.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	10 stripes and under.	20 stripes and under.	30 stripes and under.
	16.	17.	18.	19.	20.	21.	22.	23.	24.	25.	26.	27.	28.	29.	30.	31.	32.	33.	34.	35.	36.	37.
By village officers ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
By unpaid Magistrates ...	10,145	173	2	9	...	...	19,511	17,480	2,058	1,134	66	1,423	15	236	1	...	...	...	...	534	729	228
By subordinate local paid Magistrates ...	23,918	1,383	25	7	...	...	91,977	81,271	5,245	5,603	628	8,361	166	...	...	...	...	...	...	2,918	1,838	481
By full power Magistrates of general jurisdiction ...	21,560	3,885	278	129	5	...	2,31,359	1,72,824	15,171	2,177	530	15,702	540	10,094	15	25	...	...	...	5,091	6,735	3,530
By Chief Magistrates of Districts,	1,702	289	50	10	1	...	23,647	17,604	1,053	137	64	1,140	48	1,037	7	32	...	6	...	558	705	425
By Sessions Court ...	47	46	19	10	2	1	10,623	2,121	1,103	8	4	189	14	602	6	1,349	1	200	...	5	31	85
By High Court ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	57,372	5,726	374	165	8	1	3,77,117	2,91,300	24,630	9,059	1,292	26,815	780	11,972	29	1,407	1	206	...	9,106	10,029	4,699

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. V—(*Criminal*).

Statement showing the result of appeal and revision in criminal cases in the North-Western Provinces during the year 1878.

Tribunal.		Number of appellants or persons applying for revision.	Number of persons.								Remarks.
			Appeal or application rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences modified.	Sentences reversed.	Proceedings quashed.	Further inquiry or evidence ordered.	Cases referred for revision to High Court.	Pending.	
To Magistrate of districts.	Appeals from unpaid Magistrates.	257	30	144	33	41	...	6	...	3	
	Appeals from paid Magistrates.	2,886	355	1,589	387	433	6	62	21	33	
To Sessions Courts.	Appeals from unpaid Magistrates.	21	1	12	...	...	...	...	...	8	
	Appeals from paid Magistrates.	4,273	1,168	1,836	421	552	5	82	123	86	
High Court		1,715	394	922	207	127	8	23	...	34	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT VI.

Statement showing use of Juries and Assessors in the Criminal Courts of the North-Western Provinces during the year 1878.

Classes of courts in which jurors or assessors are employed.	Established or average number of jury or assessors in each case and prescribed qualification.	Number of cases tried by jury.	Number of cases with assessors.	*Jury Trial.*		*Assessors Trial.*		Note shewing in what classes of cases juries and assessors have been principally employed.	Remarks.
				Cases in which the Judge approved of the verdict.	Cases in which the judge did not approve of the verdict.	Number of cases in which Judge agreed with assessors.	Number of cases in which Judges differed from assessors.		
Sessions Judges' Courts North-Western Provinces.	Assessors 3 Jurors	...	1,599	...	...	1,378	221	Traders and landholders.	
High Court, North-Western Provinces.	Jurors 9	3	...	3	...	...	...	Ditto.	

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NOTE

ON THE

CRIMINAL STATEMENTS

For the year 1879.

THE number of offences reported was 166,138 against 220,852 in 1878, and of those prosecuted 73,400 against 108,934.

The number of persons under trial in the Courts of Magistrates during the year was smaller than in any one of the preceding five years, and smaller by over 50,000 than in 1878. Of the 133,158 persons under trial, 13 per cent. were discharged without trial, 13 per cent. were acquitted, 71 per cent. were convicted, and 2 per cent. were committed, the remaining 1 per cent. being represented by those who died or escaped or whose cases were undisposed of at the close of the year.

2. The decrease in crime is most noticeable in the case of offences against property, convictions for theft having fallen from 38,176 in 1878, to 17,274 in 1879, and for receiving stolen property from 11,537 to 5,913. There is a marked decrease also in convictions for offences relating to coin and weights and measures, and against the Excise, Opium, and Inland Customs' Acts.

3. Of the 95,017 persons convicted by Magistrates, 57 per cent. were fined, 25 per cent. imprisoned, 9 per cent. whipped, 3 per cent. imprisoned and fined, and the remaining 6 per cent. otherwise punished.

4. The amount of the fines imposed by Magistrates was Rs. 3,11,214, of which Rs. 2,32,537, or 75 per cent. only were realised. The amount of the fines imposed was lower than in any year since 1872, and the percentage of fines realised to fines imposed, than in any year since 1870.

Only 7 per cent. of the fines realised were paid to injured parties in compensation or amend.

5. One thousand six hundred and fifty-three persons were disposed of under Chapter XXXVIII. of the Code of Criminal Procedure. Of these, 498 were discharged, and 1,155 required to give security for good behaviour, 266 gave the security required, and 889, who failed to give it, were imprisoned.

6. The number of witnesses who attended the Courts of Magistrates was 291,616, as compared with 383,439 in 1878; 338,515 in 1877; and 302,761 in 1876. Only 5 per cent. of these witnesses were detained above one day.

7. The average duration of cases in the Courts of Magistrates was six days, the same as in the previous year.

8. The number of persons who preferred appeals from orders of Magistrates to Magistrates of Districts was 3,297, or larger by 154 than in the preceding year, notwithstanding the much smaller number of persons convicted. The percentage of these appellants, who succeeded in obtaining the reversal or modification of the order appealed against, was 29, the same as in the preceding year.

The number of persons who preferred appeals from orders of Magistrates to Courts of Session was 3,575, or smaller by 719 than in 1878; and the percentage of those who succeeded in their appeals was 23, being the same as in the year preceding.

9. Two thousand five hundred and thirty-one persons were committed to Courts of Session during the year, and 270 having remained over from 1878, there were 2,801 persons to be tried. Of those whose cases were disposed of, 76 per cent. were convicted, against 77 per cent. in the previous year. Of those who were convicted, 5 per cent. were sentenced to death, 8 per. cent. to transportation for life, 5 per cent. to transportation for a term, 75 per cent. to imprisonment, 4 per cent. to fine, and 3 per cent. to whipping.

10. Seven thousand six hundred and seventy-five witnesses attended Courts of Session during the year.

11. The average duration of committed cases in Courts of Session was 34 days against 30 in 1878, and of appeals 13 days against 14.

12. In the High Court, the result of references in respect of the 103 persons on whom sentence of death had been passed, was confirmation in respect of 89, or 86 per cent. ; modification in respect of 6, or 6 per cent. ; and acquittal in respect of 8, or 8 per cent.

Seven hundred and twelve persons appealed to the High Court, and 152, or 21 per cent. of them, succeeded in obtaining either a modification or a reversal of their sentences, or an order for the retrial of their cases.

The High Court called for the cases of 284 persons under section 294 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and interfered with the orders passed in respect of 88, or 31 per cent. of them.

The cases of 704 persons were submitted to the High Court by Courts of Session and Magistrates of Districts under section 296 of the Code. In the case of 643, or 91 per cent., of these persons, the High Court concurred with the referring officer. Nearly half the cases submitted during the year came from the Bánda Sessions Division, and arose out of the prosecutions in the Hamírpur district, to which allusion was made in para. 4 of the note on the Criminal Statements for the year 1878.

Thus, on appeal, reference and revision, the High Court disposed of the cases of 1,803 persons, as against those of 1,840 in 1878, and 1,522 in 1877. On its original side five criminal trials were held and concluded.

13. The average duration of cases in the High Court was 14 days.

14. The sums paid by Magistrates and Courts of Session to complainants and witnesses, in pursuance of the rules passed in 1878 under section 421 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, amounted to Rs. 16,385 in 1879. Of this sum Rs. 13,769 were expended on diet allowances, and Rs. 2,616 for travelling expenses. Of the Rs. 13,769, Rs. 10,826 were paid to 36,193 natives of the ordinary labouring class, Rs. 1,384 to 3,777 natives of higher rank in life, and Rs. 1,559 to 2,032 Europeans and Eurasians and natives of superior rank.

The sum of Rs. 2,616 for travelling expenses was distributed among 1,960 persons.

The sum disbursed in 1876 under the rules of 1875 was Rs. 8,229, or about half that disbursed in 1879 under the rules of 1878.

The distribution of expenditure was unequal. Sixteen per cent. of the whole expenditure in the provinces was incurred in the Allahabad district, or just twice as much as in the Moradabad or Gorakhpur Sessions Division, in each of which the number of witnesses who attended Court was larger than in Allahabad. The expenditure in Mirzapur was one-ninth of that incurred in Allahabad, in Benares one-eigthh, and in Ghazipur one-seventh.

Out of every 150 witnesses who attended the Courts of Magistrates and Sessions Judges in 1879, twenty received diet allowance, and one his travelling expenses.

15. The effect of placing an officer in special charge of the Stamp Department in each district seems apparent in the increased number of prosecutions for offences against the Stamp Revenue. In 1876, the year preceding that in which the system of the Stamp Administration of the provinces was revised, there were 248 persons under trial for offences against the Stamp Law, of whom 212 were convicted : in 1879 there were 2,529 persons under trial for such offences and 2,111 convicted. Prosecutions were most numerous in the Allahabad, Jalaun, Hamírpur, Lalitpur, and Jhánsi districts, and fewest in the districts of Farukhabad, Moradabad, Aligarh, Saháranpur, Cawnpore, and Meerut. Thirty-three per cent. of all the convictions in the provinces were obtained in the Allahabad district alone.

16. The revision of the system of the Excise Administration, which was also carried out in 1877, has had no marked effect on criminal business. In 1876 there were 2,016 persons under trial, and 1,626 convicted for offences against the Excise and Opium Revenue ; in 1878 the numbers were 2,330, and 1,920 respectively ; and in 1879, 1,936 and 1,518.

In 1879, prosecutions and convictions were most numerous in the Gorakhpur, Bareilly, and Allahabad districts, and fewest in the districts of Lalitpur, Bulandshahr, Garhwál, and Aligarh.

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, N.-W. P.,
ALLAHABAD :
Dated the 16th August, 1880.

S. HARVEY JAMES,
Officiating Registrar.

No. 1.—*General statement showing the number of offences reported and prosecuted as well as the number of persons under trial, and those whose cases were disposed of during the year 1879, in the Magisterial Courts of the North-Western Provinces.*

District.	Number of offences reported during present year.	Number of offences prosecuted.	Number of persons under trial during present year.	Number of persons whose cases were disposed of.		Number of persons whose cases were left undisposed of at the close of the year.	Percentage of persons convicted and committed to those whose cases were disposed of.	Remarks.
				Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted including committed.			
Saháranpur	5,002	2,133	3,611	779	2,501	35	·78	
Muzaffarnagar	4,361	2,199	3,897	1,628	2,254	12	·58	
Dehra Dún	1,079	1,033	1,548	392	1,149	5	·74	
Meerut	5,100	2,951	5,615	1,306	4,156	46	·76	
Bulandshahr	2,851	2,176	4,584	1,319	3,223	27	·70	
Aligarh	4,187	2,400	4,745	1,078	3,629	34	·79	
Etah	4,595	1,678	2,905	603	2,253	44	·79	
Moradabad	11,570	4,106	7,028	2,005	4,933	10	·71	
Bijnor	2,758	1,421	2,255	741	1,598	14	·69	
Bareilly	7,992	2,835	4,917	1,245	3,652	19	·74	
Budaun	5,524	1,995	3,185	570	2,600	11	·82	
Sháhjahánpur	8,187	2,788	4,606	1,199	3,249	25	·71	
Agra	5,685	3,443	6,043	1,442	4,149	27	·75	
Muttra	2,875	1,887	3,546	876	2,663	3	·75	
Farukhabad	2,708	1,539	4,413	1,140	3,244	26	·73	
Mainpuri	2,101	1,269	2,603	652	1,888	22	·74	
Etáwah	2,913	1,514	2,827	863	1,862	34	·67	
Cawnpore	8,588	4,732	7,993	1,284	6,695	14	·78	
Fatehpur	2,792	1,461	2,919	560	2,325	13	·80	
Bánda	3,709	2,187	4,022	1,278	2,725	11	·68	
Hamírpur	3,247	1,559	2,817	580	2,214	1	·78	
Allahabad	8,360	4,107	7,428	1,934	5,455	38	·74	
Basti	7,592	1,665	2,944	1,026	1,881	24	·64	
Gorakhpur	13,512	3,798	6,213	1,435	4,731	45	·76	
Azamgarh	8,540	1,770	2,927	950	1,953	24	·66	
Benares	7,345	4,011	7,290	2,188	5,060	35	·70	
Jaunpur	4,912	1,892	3,168	1,174	1,960	34	·62	
Mirzapur	6 480	2,174	4,053	1,471	2,522	57	·62	
Gházipur	4,764	2,264	4,558	719	3,767	49	·83	
Kumaun	1,249	1,057	1,984	467	1,501	10	·76	
Garhwál	583	172	345	133	211	1	·61	
Tarái	407	275	514	100	412	...	·80	
Jhánsi	2,990	1,309	2,218	382	1,828	5	·83	
Jalaun	864	997	2,138	564	1,563	9	·73	
Lalitpur	716	601	1,289	236	1,042	4	·81	
Total of 1879	166,138	73,490	133,158	34,419	97,548	768	·73	
Total of 1878	220,852	106,934	183,231	42,802	138,333	991	·76	
District average for 1879	4,746	2,097	3,804	983	2,787	22	·73	
District average for 1879	6,310	3,112	5,235	1,214	3,952	28	·76	

No. 2.—*Statement showing the general results of criminal trials before the various Magisterial authorities in the districts of the North-Western Provinces, during the year* 1879.

District.	Number of persons dealt with					Persons disposed of.				Remaining at the end of the year.		Number of enquiries by Magistrates.	Number of cases pending above six weeks at the end of the year.	Percentage of convictions in cases committed.
	Remaining at the end of last year.	Brought to trial during the year.		Received by transfer.	Total.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted including committed.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	In custody.	On bail or recognizance.			
		By arrest.	By summons or recognizance.											
Saháranpur	48	2,394	1,177	2	3,621	346	433	2,801	6	20	15	...	...	·80
Muzaffarnagar	47	1,129	2,709	12	3,897	1,384	244	2,354	3	8	4	284	41	·73
Dehra Dún	10	1,008	530	...	1,548	293	99	1,149	2	4	1	...	...	·88
Meerut	18	2,671	2,926	...	5,615	529	777	4,156	7	13	33	43	...	·85
Bulandshahr	66	1,849	2,668	1	4,584	1,137	182	3,223	15	20	7	9	...	·79
Aligarh	29	2,521	2,195	...	4,745	496	582	3,629	4	24	10	...	...	...
Etah	35	1,566	1,304	...	2,905	259	344	2,253	5	16	28	2	...	·88
Moradabad	11	3,581	3,357	79	7,028	990	1,025	4,983	80	5	5	23	...	·62
Bijnor	17	1,286	952	...	2,255	155	543	1,598	44	4	10	...	5	·66
Bareilly	29	3,567	1,321	...	4,917	306	939	3,652	1	11	8	37	...	·79
Budaun	41	1,835	1,298	11	3,185	178	392	2,600	4	9	2	146	...	·83
Sháhjahánpur	38	2,803	1,733	32	4,606	727	572	3,249	33	10	15	174	...	·71
Agra	39	3,721	2,178	105	6,043	618	824	4,549	25	13	14	11	5	·87
Muttra	15	1,921	1,610	...	3,546	641	235	2,663	4	3	...	2	...	·61
Farukhabad	31	2,275	2,106	1	4,413	466	674	3,244	3	14	12	...	28	·91
Mainpuri	33	808	1,721	41	2,603	261	391	1,888	41	10	12	28	1	...
Etáwah	35	1,280	1,477	35	2,827	260	647	1,862	24	27	7	...	2	·90
Cawnpore	14	3,451	4,527	1	7,993	89	1,183	6,695	12	7	7	...	...	·78
Fatehpur	36	1,269	1,612	2	2,919	370	203	2,335	8	10	3	3	...	·85
Bánda	11	2,070	1,941	...	4,022	349	929	2,725	8	7	4	...	11	·79
Hamírpur	45	1,495	1,150	127	2,817	434	146	2,214	22	1	...	195	18	·89
Allahabad	42	3,446	3,540	...	7,428	1,162	772	5,455	10	19	19	43	...	·78
Basti	62	1,518	1,292	72	2,944	429	597	1,881	13	11	13	12	...	·82
Gorakhpur	26	3,593	2,594	...	6,213	601	834	4,731	2	32	13	2	...	·78
Azamgarh	58	1,816	1,051	2	2,927	261	687	1,953	2	19	5	1,747	10	·87
Benares	4	4,639	2,581	66	7,290	1,732	456	5,060	7	27	8	...	...	·83
Jaunpur	26	1,255	1,884	3	3,168	681	493	1,960	...	22	12	...	13	·91
Mirzapur	29	1,987	2,035	2	4,053	599	872	2,522	3	12	45	149	5	·76
Gházipur	43	3,263	1,242	10	4,558	316	403	3,767	23	21	28	...	...	·88
Kumaun	9	1,269	703	3	1,984	246	221	1,501	6	4	6	...	...	·68
Garhwál	...	139	205	...	345	72	61	211	...	...	1	3	...	·50
Tarái	...	227	287	...	514	61	39	412	2	...	...	...	...	·100
Jhánsi	1	1,460	754	3	2,218	292	90	1,828	3	2	3	7	2	·87
Jalaun	14	1,134	988	2	2,138	352	212	1,563	2	4	5	...	...	...
Lalitpur	12	638	632	7	1,289	111	125	1,042	7	4	...	...	1	...
Total ...	974	71,284	60,281	619	133,158	17,193	17,226	97,548	423	413	355	2,920	138	·69

No. 3.—*Statement showing the degrees of punishment inflicted by the Magisterial Courts of the North-Western Provinces, during the year* 1879.

District.	Number of persons punished.												
	Fined.	Imprisoned.	Flogged.		Ordered to find security for good behaviour.	Ordered to find security to keep the peace.	Order to enter into recognizance.	Ordered to maintain wife and children.	Ordered to refrain from taking possession of land and water.	Imprisoned and fined.	Imprisoned and flogged.	Fined and flogged.	Total persons punished.
			Juveniles.	Adults.									
Sahāranpur ...	1,695	598	61	339	21	11	41	2	7	41	15	...	2,771
Muzaffarnagar ...	1,217	569	30	166	27	1	34	...	...	102	14	...	2,160
Dehra Dūn ...	764	220	..	133	4	3	15	1	...	2	...	...	1,142
Meerut ...	2,966	625	84	198	94	36	11	...	...	63	79	5	4,161
Bulandshahr ...	2,125	762	39	72	8	111	2	30	24	6	...	...	3,179
Aligarh ...	2,043	998	21	235	62	24	41	...	...	91	36	...	3,551
Etah ...	1,026	757	17	80	24	30	50	...	...	150	28	...	2,162
Moradabad ...	2,385	1,483	115	419	17	...	138	2	...	125	10	...	4,694
Bijnor ...	858	461	25	110	27	72	24	4	4	54	14	...	1,658
Bareilly ...	1,491	1,292	89	279	75	23	42	3	...	100	42	...	3,436
Budaun ...	1,049	664	31	292	45	134	30	6	...	80	27	...	2,378
Shāhjahānpur ...	1,466	1,201	57	260	21	66	...	3	...	80	8	...	3,162
Agra ...	2,418	1,252	165	410	45	15	23	7	5	96	26	...	4,462
Muttra ...	1,238	677	101	378	58	1	44	...	...	96	61	...	2,654
Farukhabad ...	1,853	888	20	116	18	3	37	5	...	66	52	...	3,058
Mainpuri ...	1,214	441	4	29	19	2	41	2	3	70	7	...	1,832
Etāwah ...	980	518	37	179	15	6	1	...	422	50	40	...	2,248
Cawnpore ...	5,156	752	49	406	27	6	41	...	...	87	38	...	6,562
Fatehpur ...	1,335	383	25	69	55	17	225	...	...	130	32	...	2,271
Bānda ...	1,438	850	56	83	10	37	84	2	1	86	9	...	2,656
Hamirpur ...	1,163	665	17	143	21	22	34	1	2	41	24	...	2,133
Allahabad ...	3,116	1,293	52	305	86	21	87	9	4	168	56	168	5,345
Basti ...	641	818	31	106	12	11	74	2	...	67	27	...	1,789
Gorakhpur ...	1,909	723	124	1,093	178	28	159	16	30	155	33	9	4,457
Azamgarh ...	1,053	430	7	175	17	17	71	3	13	91	19	...	1,896
Benares ...	2,921	1,087	38	147	49	44	6	...	...	339	56	...	4,687
Jaunpur ...	1,286	398	14	94	10	10	27	...	4	82	10	...	1,925
Mirzāpur ...	1,191	878	34	108	35	106	19	3	...	49	18	...	2,436
Ghāzipur ...	2,472	637	70	124	18	208	30	14	5	86	24	...	3,688
Kumaun ...	1,128	233	13	41	8	12	6	1	...	35	...	...	1,477
Garhwāl ...	138	36	2	4	10	1	...	...	...	18	...	...	209
Tarāi ...	212	131	17	...	10	3	19	...	...	9	...	...	401
Jhānsi ...	1,070	449	12	116	10	5	73	...	...	56	15	...	1,806
Jalaun ...	843	360	38	146	10	2	11	2	...	92	22	3	1,529
Lalitpur ...	654	238	24	97	2	2	6	...	..	9	8	...	1,040
Total ...	54,454	23,777	1,519	6,927	1,155	1,110	1,540	128	524	2,872	830	185	95,017

No. 3.—*Statement showing the degrees of punishment inflicted by the Magisterial*

District.	DETAIL OF SENTENCE								
	FINED.								
	Not exceeding Rs. 10.	Not exceeding Rs. 50.	Not exceeding Rs. 100.	Not exceeding Rs. 500.	Not exceeding Rs. 1,000.	Total number of fines.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid to injured parties in compensation or amend.
Saháranpur	1,545	115	11	3	...	1,674	8,195	6,745	619
Muzaffarnagar	1,250	125	8	3	...	1,386	7,861	7,274	229
Dehra Dún	721	35	7	3	...	766	3,210	2,824	476
Meerut	2,673	337	17	8	...	3,035	18,750	15,300	310
Bulandshahr	2,060	76	12	1	...	2,149	7,254	5,644	246
Aligarh	1,945	175	9	5	...	2,134	10,848	9,108	422
Etah	1,056	216	2	2	...	1,276	8,696	6,305	31
Moradabad	2,482	114	8	5	...	2,609	11,159	9,645	303
Bijnor	790	116	5	...	1	912	5,805	3,520	79
Bareilly	1,732	258	41	17	1	2,049	17,200	12,226	623
Budaun	1,036	82	12	...	...	1,130	6,360	5,447	400
Sháhjahánpur	1,396	145	3	2	...	1,546	7,705	5,931	1,128
Agra	1,587	863	55	...	9	2,514	14,901	10,446	793
Muttra	1,204	122	5	3	...	1,334	8,587	6,025	61
Farukhabad	1,711	184	20	4	...	1,919	11,948	8,625	530
Mainpuri	1,202	67	14	1	...	1,284	7,742	6,982	197
Etáwah	936	78	12	4	...	1,030	7,479	5,456	2,081
Cawnpore	5,071	159	8	5	...	5,243	15,855	13,460	1,031
Fatehpur	1,349	112	4	...	...	1,465	6,610	5,610	475
Bánda	1,390	125	7	2	...	1,524	7,340	6,954	512
Hamirpur	1,137	58	2	7	...	1,204	6,295	4,807	391
Allahabad	3,100	257	14	12	1	3,384	18,219	14,698	588
Basti	633	65	6	4	...	708	4,274	3,330	251
Gorakhpur	1,741	368	12	2	...	2,123	17,581	16,746	1,106
Azamgarh	958	188	2	4	...	1,152	7,535	6,018	546
Benares	3,060	367	29	7	...	3,463	20,840	15,084	569
Jaunpur	1,187	164	10	4	3	1,368	12,544	9,419	585
Mirzapur	1,128	98	11	3	...	1,240	7,029	6,189	247
Gházipur	2,381	171	6	...	...	2,558	7,789	6,559	232
Kumaun	1,059	85	18	2	...	1,164	6,594	4,885	456
Garhwál	142	11	2	1	...	156	1,062	820	129
Taráí	183	31	4	3	...	221	2,633	1,754	486
Jhánsi	1,067	55	2	2	...	1,126	3,874	2,809	340
Jalaun	876	55	7	...	...	938	4,835	4,340	87
Lalitpur	647	14	2	...	...	663	1,505	1,652	107
Total ...	52,435	5,491	387	119	15	58,447	3,11,214	2,32,537	16,656

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NUMBER OF PERSONS.												
IMPRISONED.												
Not exceeding												
15 days.		6 months.		2 years.		7 years.		Total.		Average number of stripes.	Highest number of stripes in any case.	Persons imprisoned in default of security.
Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Rigorous above 7 years.	Rigorous.	Simple.			
25	16	316	17	241	1	...	...	582	34	18	30	15
109	10	315	10	187	1	...	...	611	21	17	30	4
26	10	118	...	60	...	...	...	204	10	19	30	4
120	20	331	42	269	...	...	...	720	62	20	30	79
209	13	365	5	200	...	...	...	774	18	13	30	4
97	15	624	11	376	...	2	...	1,099	26	17	30	82
127	17	542	12	237	...	...	...	906	29	18	30	21
273	22	862	16	445	...	...	...	1,580	38	14	30	7
111	4	236	9	167	2	...	...	514	15	16	30	23
266	34	817	23	646	...	...	...	1,729	57	16	30	12
103	11	327	4	240	...	...	...	670	15	19	30	37
317	15	701	5	251	...	...	...	1,269	20	17	30	17
288	18	683	17	366	2	...	...	1,337	37	13	30	37
115	28	404	8	276	...	...	...	795	36	14	30	49
183	34	582	15	218	...	...	...	983	49	13	30	13
131	5	261	23	98	...	...	...	490	28	18	30	16
118	7	315	6	155	...	...	...	588	13	20	30	11
113	22	401	27	309	1	...	...	823	50	16	30	20
116	18	296	19	94	...	2	...	508	37	17	30	30
229	32	555	10	115	...	4	...	903	42	12	30	10
106	17	423	20	164	...	...	...	693	37	14	30	8
249	36	769	46	397	...	...	...	1,415	82	20	30	83
169	43	500	18	178	1	...	...	847	62	10	30	4
92	22	446	34	277	1	...	...	815	57	13	30	173
63	36	316	20	113	...	...	...	492	56	17	30	13
166	18	882	28	387	...	1	...	1,436	46	17	30	48
74	31	239	34	102	...	...	...	415	65	15	30	9
189	9	598	32	170	...	...	...	907	41	9	30	29
63	31	287	30	226	...	...	...	576	61	13	30	9
18	7	125	12	108	...	...	...	251	19	19	30	6
7	...	27	...	20	...	...	...	54	...	14	30	1
10	10	55	1	65	...	...	...	130	11	15	30	19
78	34	299	17	85	...	7	...	469	51	16	30	9
62	6	292	19	98	...	8	...	460	25	14	30	8
29	5	143	14	55	...	9	...	236	19	8	30	...
4,401	656	14,452	604	7,395	9	38	...	26,281	1,269	15	30	910

No. 4.—*Statement showing the number of witnesses who attended the Magisterial Courts of the North-Western Provinces, during the year 1879, and the period of their detention.*

District.	Number of witnesses who attended.	*Number of witnesses detained.*			*Percentage of witnesses detained.*		
		Above one day.	Above three days.	Above seven days.	Above one day.	Above three days.	Above seven days.
Saháranpur	8,241	801	53	6	9	...	...
Muzaffarnagar	6,300	623	45	6	9	...	...
Dehra Dún	2,169	70	...	...	3	...	...
Meerut	10,325	705	...	...	...	...	...
Bulandshahr	7,190	833	13	...	12	...	...
Aligarh	11,272	573	34	...	5	...	...
Etah	7,037	150	...	...	2	...	...
Moradabad	15,136	1,729	347	9	11	2	...
Bijnor	7,479	35	...	...	1	...	...
Bareilly	19,550	1,225	58	...	6	1	...
Budaun	9,379	280	...	...	3	...	...
Sháhjahánpur	10,519	299	10	...	2	1	...
Agra	11,297	397	...	...	3	...	...
Muttra	6,267	70	12	...	1	...	...
Farukhabad	10,743	589	...	...	5	...	...
Mainpuri	7,408	640	20	...	8	1	...
Etáwah	6,505	340	17	...	5	1	...
Cawnpore	10,414	171	7	...	1	...	...
Fatehpur	6,045	169	...	...	3	...	...
Bánda	8,498	425	4	...	5	...	...
Hamírpur	6,567	501	42	...	7	1	...
Allahabad	21,302	1,238	6	...	6	...	...
Basti	7,400	129	...	2	1	...	...
Gorakhpur	15,835	782	96	...	5	1	...
Azamgarh	6,610	555	8	...	8	...	...
Benares	11,109	58	...	...	1	...	...
Jaunpur	9,148	175	5	...	1	1	...
Mirzapur	8,770	18	...	...	...	...	...
Gházipur	10,054	1,067	127	45	10	1	...
Kumaun	2,176	98	4	...	4	...	...
Garhwál	495	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tarái	1,230	4	4	...	1	1	...
Jhánsi	8,863	176	20	...	1	1	...
Jalaun	3,469	127	8	...	4	...	...
Lalitpur	1,844	41	...	2	2	...	...
Total	291,646	15,093	939	70	5	¼	...

No. 5.—*Statement showing the result of appeals from the orders, of Assistants preferred to Magistrates of districts in the North-Western Provinces, during the year* 1879.

District.	Number of appellants.	Number of persons.					Remarks.
		Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences reversed or modified.	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending.	
Saháranpur	52	16	22	7	2	2	3 Cases referred to the High Court for revision.
Muzaffarnagar	87	6	67	14	...	...	
Dehra Dún	2	...	2	...	...	...	
Meerut	96	...	52	44	...	...	
Bulandshahr	88	1	50	37	...	...	
Aligarh	224	15	124	67	14	4	
Etah	51	5	34	12	...	...	
Moradabad	189	30	69	87	...	2	1 Case referred to High Court.
Bijnor	98	1	50	47	...	...	
Bareilly	49	11	27	11	...	...	
Budaun	58	12	28	11	7	...	
Sháhjahánpur	57	7	36	14	...	...	
Agra	80	35	30	12	3	...	
Muttra	98	32	46	20	...	...	
Farukhabad	170	56	55	42	11	...	6 Cases referred to the High Court.
Mainpuri	55	...	47	...	8	...	
Etáwah	29	1	14	6	8	...	
Cawnpore	51	10	28	12	1	...	
Fatehpur	110	47	25	38	...	...	
Bánda	193	11	75	105	...	2	
Hamírpur	62	8	36	16	2	...	
Allahabad	161	52	47	45	8	1	8 Cases referred to High Court for revision.
Basti	145	61	34	35	6	2	7 Cases referred to High Court.
Gorakhpur	194	4	135	40	12	...	3 Ditto.
Azamgarh	79	10	30	36	3	...	
Benares	304	...	201	59	39	5	
Jaunpur	132	16	82	27	6	1	
Mirzapur	48	1	26	14	1	2	4 Cases referred to High Court.
Gházipur	148	70	56	10	8	1	3 Ditto.
Kumaun	89	16	37	29	6	1	
Garhwál	15	...	9	6	...	...	
Tarái	14	2	...	12	...	...	
Jhánsi	18	1	4	13	...	...	
Jalaun	34	...	17	12	...	5	
Lalitpur	17	...	4	13	...	...	
Total ...	3,297	537	1,599	953	145	28	

No. 6.—*Statement showing the average number of days during which each case lasted in the Magisterial Courts of the North-Western Provinces, during the years* 1878 *and* 1879.

District.	Average duration of cases in Magisterial Courts.					
	For the year 1878.			*For the year* 1879.		
	Years.	Months.	Days.	Years.	Months.	Days.
Saháranpur	...	...	5	...	...	6
Muzaffarnagar	...	...	10	...	...	10
Dehra Dún	...	...	2	...	...	1
Meerut	...	...	5	...	...	5
Bulandshahr	...	...	8	...	...	8
Aligarh	...	...	7	...	...	7
Etah	...	...	5	...	...	7
Moradabad	...	...	6	...	...	8
Bijnor	...	...	4	...	...	3
Bareilly	...	...	7	...	...	8
Budaun	...	...	8	...	...	6
Sháhjahánpur	...	...	3	...	...	4
Agra	...	...	4	...	...	5
Muttra	...	...	4	...	...	5
Farukhabad	...	...	7	...	...	7
Mainpuri	...	...	5	...	...	8
Etáwah	...	...	5	...	...	6
Cawnpore	...	...	5	...	...	4
Fatehpur	...	...	7	...	...	8
Bánda	...	...	4	...	...	4
Hamírpur	...	...	5	...	...	5
Allahabad	...	...	5	...	...	5
Basti	...	...	7	...	...	7
Gorakhpur	...	...	6	...	...	8
Azamgarh	...	...	5	...	...	8
Benares	...	...	6	...	...	6
Jaunpur	...	...	6	...	...	5
Mirzapur	...	...	10	...	...	7
Gházipur	...	...	5	...	...	6
Kumaun	...	...	6	...	...	7
Garhwál	...	...	11	...	...	9
Tarái	...	...	3	...	...	3
Jhánsi	...	...	3	...	...	4
Jalaun	...	...	5	...	...	6
Lalitpur	...	...	4	...	...	2
Total ...	...	...	6	...	...	6

No. 7.—*Statement showing the result of appeals to Courts of Session during the year* 1879.

District.	Number of appellants.	Number of persons.					Remarks.
		Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences reversed or modified.	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending.	
Saháranpur	180	22	109	27	10	8	4 cases referred to High Court.
Muzaffarnagar	107	13	75	8	5	6	
Debra Dún	18	...	6	2	1	4	
Meerut	94	48	22	20	3	...	1 ditto ditto.
Bulandshahr	86	35	31	14	5	...	1 ditto ditto.
Aligarh	261	80	73	107	...	1	
Etah	70	23	18	29	...	...	
Moradabad	166	2	118	40	...	6	
Bijnor	38	1	27	5	1	4	
Bareilly	145	31	77	34	...	...	3 ditto ditto.
Budaun	31	4	18	9	...	...	
Pilibhít	28	9	10	8	...	...	1 ditto ditto.
Sháhjahánpur...	204	40	97	66	..	1	
Agra	126	30	41	48	1	4	2 ditto ditto.
Muttra	94	33	23	24	2	...	12 ditto ditto.
Farukhabad	90	8	59	21	2	...	
Mainpuri	48	5	27	11	1	1	3 ditto ditto.
Etáwah	63	14	42	7	..	...	
Cawnpore	119	45	46	11	8	6	3 ditto ditto.
Fatehpur	39	27	12	...	...	...	
Bánda	86	40	23	18	1	1	3 ditto ditto.
Hamírpur	121	7	17	20	2	3	72 ditto ditto.
Allahabad	143	18	79	37	1	7	1 ditto ditto.
Basti	84	25	30	18	2	1	8 ditto ditto.
Gorakhpur	163	69	38	34	7	2	12 ditto ditto
Azamgarh	98	15	37	30	...	...	16 ditto ditto.
Benares	351	55	177	114	3	...	2 ditto ditto.
Jaunpur	68	24	33	8	...	...	3 ditto ditto.
Mirzapur	94	41	31	14	...	...	8 ditto ditto.
Gházipur	101	3	78	17	3	...	
Kumaun	124	41	60	14	1	5	3 ditto ditto.
Garhwál	25	9	13	2	1	...	
Tarái	9	7	1	1	...	...	
Jhánsi	19	4	11	4	...	...	
Jalaun	60	14	34	12	...	...	
Lalitpur	28	8	11	8	...	1	
Total ...	3,575	850	1,604	842	60	61	

No. 8.—*Statement showing the result of commitments to Courts of Session during the year* 1879.

District.	Number of persons committed including those awaiting trial at the end of the previous year.	Persons disposed of.		Persons remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.	Percentage of persons convicted to total number disposed of.
		Convicted including those whose sentences were referred for confirmation to the High Court.	Acquitted.		
Saháranpur	78	52	14	7	·71
Muzaffarnagar	88	66	22	...	·75
Dehra Dún	10	8	2	...	·80
Meerut	(a) 95	74	17	2	·65
Bulandshahr	38	27	11	...	·71
Aligarh	95	68	22	5	·75
Etah	(b) 55	30	23	2	·54
Moradabad	153	85	52	14	·62
Bijnor	47	25	13	9	·53
Bareilly	131	98	32	1	·75
Budaun	78	60	14	4	·81
Pilibhít	37	23	10	4	·70
Sháhjahánpur	(c) 202	151	45	2	·77
Agra	(d) 82	61	9	11	·87
Muttra	(e) 73	37	23	11	·62
Farukhabad	114	99	15	...	·87
Mainpuri	(f) 63	51	6	5	·89
Etáwah	81	72	8	1	·90
Cawnpore	144	104	33	7	·76
Fatehpur	59	45	8	6	·84
Bánda	(g) 77	41	11	21	·73
Hamírpur	64	36	28	...	·56
Allahabad	(h) 228	162	57	7	·74
Basti	61	37	8	16	·88
Gorakhpur	95	62	18	15	·77
Azamgarh	111	61	38	12	·55
Benares	89	55	34	...	·62
Jaunpur	(i) 99	86	12	...	·87
Mirzapur	(j) 97	65	17	3	·79
Gházipur	101	83	14	4	·86
Kumaun	25	16	8	1	·68
Garhwál	2	2	...	...	·100
Tarái	5	5	...	...	·100
Jhánsi	20	19	1	...	·95
Jalaun	9	5	4	...	·56
Lalitpur	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	2,801	1,971	629	170	·76

(a) 1 died and 1 escaped.
(b) 2 died.
(c) 4 died.
(d) 1 died.
(e) 2 died before trial.
(f) 1 died.
(g) 4 died.
(h) 2 transferred.
(i) 1 died.ferred.
(j) 12 trans

No. 9.—*Statement showing the amount of business disposed of by Sessions Judges during the year* 1879.

Name of Sessions Judges and districts.	Committals. Number of persons. Committed including those awaiting trial at the end of last year.	Convicted and sentenced.	Sentenced to death referred for confirmation.	Acquitted.	Remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.	Appeals. Number of persons. Number of appellants.	Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences modified.	Sentences reversed.	Remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.
Saháranpur ... Muzaffarnagar, Dehra Dún ... H. Chase, Esq. ...	171	125	1	38	7	300	35	190	13	24	(1) 18 (a)
Meerut ... M. S. Melville, Esq. ... R. M. King, Esq. ... H. G. Keene, Esq. ...	95 (a)	70	4	17	2	94	48	22	6	14	... (b) (2)
Bulandshahr, H. G. Keene, Esq. ...	38	24	3	11	...	86	35	31	1	13	...
Aligarh ... G. E. Watson, Esq. ... Etah ... C. W. Moore, Esq. ...	(b) 150	83 78	... 7	4 41	7	331	36 67	1 90	3 38	11 84	... 1
Moradabad ... W. Young, Esq. ... Bijnor ... R. M. King, Esq. ... W. Lane, Esq. ...	99 59 42	56 33 15	3 3 ...	40 21 4	 23	124 53 27	2 1 ...	90 39 16	11 2 ...	21 11 ...	... ... (c) 10
Bareilly ... W. Tyrrell, Esq. ... Budaun ...	168 78	106 57	15 3	42 14	5 4	173 31	40 4	87 18	32 ...	10 9	(3) ... ...
Sháhjahánpur, W. Duthoit, Esq. ...	(c) 202	141	10	45	2	204	40	97	35	31	1
Agra ... H. G. Keene, Esq. ... D. M. Gardner, Esq. ... W. C. Turner, Esq. ...	(d) 82	17 32 8	3 1 ...	1 8 ...	11	22 90 14	11 19 ...	3 29 9	2 22 ...	6 20 ...	... ... (4) 4
Muttra ... H. G. Keene, Esq. ... D. M. Gardner, Esq. ... W. C. Turner, Esq. ...	(e) 73	6 25 4	... 2 ...	1 13 9	11	50 36 8	18 13 2	13 6 4	1 1 ...	18 ... 2	... (d) ... (e) ...
Farukhabad... R. F. Saunders, Esq. ...	114	97	2	15	...	90	8	59	10	11	(f) ...
Mainpuri ... W. C. Turner, Esq. ... Etáwah ... F. E. Elliot, Esq. ...	(f) 4 140	4 104	... 16	... 14	... 6	21 90	2 17	12 57	5 2	1 12	(5) ... (6) 1
Cawnpore ... J. H. Prinsep, Esq. ... Fatehpur ... W. C. Turner, Esq. ...	73 130	43 96	2 7	14 27	13 ...	71 87	26 46	15 43	11 ...	1 ...	6 (g) ...
Bánda ... E. B. Thornhill, Esq. ... Hamírpur ... D. M. Gardner, Esq. ...	(g) 63 78	34 37	3 3	26 13	... 21	175 32	42 5	26 14	15 3	14 6	... (i) (7) 4
Allahabad ... H. Lushington, Esq. ...	(h) 228	160	2	57	7	143	18	79	14	23	(j) (8) 7
Basti ... C. J. Daniell, Esq. ... Gorakhpur ... R. G. Currie, Esq. ...	9 147	... 95	... 4	1 25	8 23	5 241	1 93	... 68	3 16	1 32	... (k) (9) 3
Azamgarh ... H. D. Willock, Esq. ...	111	60	1	38	12	98	15	37	...	30	(10) ...
Benares ... M. Brodhurst, Esq. ... G. E. Knox, Esq. ...	70 19	35 17	3 ...	32 2	... ...	244 107	39 16	131 46	24 16	47 27	... (11) ...
Jaunpur ... M. Brodhurst, Esq. ... G. E. Knox, Esq. ...	(i) 72 27	63 23	... ...	9 3	... ...	55 13	20 4	27 6	2 ...	3 3	(l) ... ...
Mirzapur ... J. M. C. Steinbelt, Esq. ... H. A. Harrison, Esq. ...	(j) 97	32 32	... 1	3 14	... 3	13 81	8 33	4 27	1 2	... 11	... ... (12) ...
Gházipur ... J. W. Power, Esq. ...	101	82	1	14	4	101	3	78	...	17	(m) ...
Kumaun ... Major-General the Hon'ble Garhwál ... Sir Henry Ramsay ... Tarái ...	25 2	16 1	... ...	8 ...	1 ...	124 25	41 9	60 13	... ...	14 2	5 (n) (13) ...
Jhánsi ... Jalaun ... Lalitpur ... J. W. Quinton, Esq. ...	5 29	5 22	1 2	... 5	... ...	9 107	7 26	1 56	1 14	... 10	... 1
Total	2,801	1,868	103	629	170	3,575	850	1,604	304	538	61

Commitments.

(a.) 1 Died and 1 escaped.
(b.) 2 Died.
(c.) 4 Died.
(d.) 1 Died.
(e.) 2 Died.
(f.) 1 Died.
(g.) 4 Died.
(h.) 2 Transferred.
(i.) 1 Died.
(j.) 12 Transferred.

Appeals.

(a.) 16 Cases remanded. (1.) 4 Cases referred to High Court.
(b.) 8 " " (2.) 2 " " " "
(c.) 1 " " (3.) 4 " " " "
(d.) 16 " " (4.) 11 " " " "
(e.) 2 " " (5.) 3 " " " "
(f.) 2 " " (6.) 1 " " " "
(g.) 10 " " (7.) 75 " " " "
(i.) 3 " " (8.) 1 " " " "
(j.) 1 " " (9.) 20 " " " "
(k.) 9 " " (10.) 16 " " " "
(l.) 3 " " (11.) 5 " " " "
(m.) 3 " " (12.) 8 " " " "
(n.) 2 " " (13.) 3 " " " "

No. 10.—*Statement showing degrees of punishments inflicted by Courts of Session during the year 1879.*

PERSONS SENTENCED TO / PERSONS ORDERED TO FIND OR GIVE

District.	Death.	Transportation: For life.	Transportation: For a term.	Penal servitude.	Imprisonment, Rigorous: With solitary confinement.	Imprisonment, Rigorous: Without solitary confinement.	Imprisonment: Simple.	Forfeiture of property.	Fine: With imprisonment.	Fine: Without imprisonment.	Whipping: In addition to other punishment.	Whipping: In lieu of other punishment.	Security to keep the peace.	Recognizance.	Security for good behaviour.
Saháranpur ...	...	4	9	...	4	38	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarnagar ...	2	4	6	...	...	52	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Dehra Dún ...	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Meerut ...	4	8	4	...	5	49	...	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	...
Bulandshahr ...	3	5	...	...	3	13	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...
Aligarh ...	4	4	3	...	...	58	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Etah ...	3	2	4	...	...	21	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moradabad ...	5	8	5	...	10	42	...	...	12	...	4	1	...	...	...
Bijnor ...	1	2	...	...	4	13	...	...	5	...	1	...	...	...	...
Bareilly ...	14	16	...	...	...	68	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pilibhít ...	2	4	...	...	...	17	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...
Budaun ...	3	...	...	...	...	55	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sháhjahánpur ...	10	22	4	...	...	114	...	...	1	1	...	3	...	...	...
Agra ...	4	2	...	...	5	45	...	...	1	2	1	1	...	...	...
Muttra ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Farukhabad ...	2	16	...	...	7	68	3	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mainpuri ...	2	2	...	...	...	44	...	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...
Etáwah ...	13	5	...	...	...	46	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	...
Cawnpore ...	5	9	...	...	...	91	...	...	2	...	3	...	...	...	...
Fatehpur ...	4	6	...	...	...	35	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bánda ...	5	7	...	...	...	27	...	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...
Hamírpur ...	1	8	...	...	1	23	...	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	...
Allahabad ...	2	...	1	...	...	157	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Basti ...	2	3	...	...	7	17	...	...	1	...	2	1	...	...	...
Gorakhpur ...	2	4	1	...	7	46	...	...	4	...	3	8	...	...	...
Azamgarh ...	1	3	3	...	...	53	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...
Benares ...	3	4	5	...	3	28	...	...	10	...	...	3	...	...	...
Jaunpur ...	...	5	34	...	9	28	...	...	8	1	1	2	...	...	...
Mirzapur ...	1	4	10	...	13	34	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...
Gházipur ...	1	...	3	...	...	77	...	...	1	...	1	1	...	...	...
Kumaun ...	...	...	...	...	...	14	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...
Garhwál ...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Taráí ...	2	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jhánsi ...	2	1	...	...	...	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jalaun ...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lalitpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	103	164	92	...	80	1,397	5	...	63	11	30	26	...	...	...

DETAIL OF PUNISHMENTS.

District.	Fine: Rs. 10 and under.	Fine: Rs. 50 and under.	Fine: Rs. 100 and under.	Fine: Rs. 500 and under.	Fine: Rs. 1,000 and under.	Fine: Above Rs. 1,000.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	Imprisonment, 15 days: Rigorous.	15 days: Simple.	6 months: Rigorous.	6 months: Simple.	2 years: Rigorous.	2 years: Simple.	Not exceeding 7 years: Rigorous.	Not exceeding 7 years: Simple.	Above 7 years: Rigorous.	Above 7 years: Simple.	Whipped: 10 stripes and under.	Whipped: 20 stripes and under.	Whipped: 30 stripes and under.
Saháranpur	...	...	1	...	1	...	1,051	2,051	...	...	...	2	...	6	...	30	...	...	...	...	...	...
Muzaffarnagar	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	1	13	...	34	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dehra Dún	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...
Meerut	...	1	...	2	...	1	12,300	300	50	...	...	19	...	8	...	28	...	4	...	...	1	2
Bulandshahr	...	1	...	...	2	...	1450	398	398	...	...	3	...	7	...	7	...	2	...	...	...	...
Aligarh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	14	...	33	...	...	...	...	...	...
Etah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	4	...	6	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Moradabad	...	7	1	3	1	...	1,352	1,024	32	...	...	5	...	17	...	39	...	14	...	...	2	3
Bijnor	...	5	...	...	...	...	115	40	20	...	...	1	...	9	...	11	...	1	...	...	...	...
Bareilly	...	...	...	1	...	...	200	...	...	...	...	7	...	20	...	39	...	2	...	...	...	...
Pilibhít	...	1	...	...	...	...	20	20	...	...	...	2	...	5	...	8	...	3	...	...	...	...
Budaun	...	...	2	...	...	...	210	...	...	...	...	4	...	26	...	27	...	...	...	...	...	...
Sháhjahánpur	1	1	...	...	...	...	40	10	40	...	...	12	...	31	...	65	...	7	...	...	1	2
Agra	...	2	...	1	...	...	375	375	20	...	...	1	...	10	...	37	...	4	...	...	1	1
Muttra	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Farukhabad	...	2	...	...	...	...	50	...	...	1	...	10	3	14	...	41	...	11	...	...	...	...
Mainpuri	...	...	...	1	...	1	1,800	1,800	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	31	...	2	...	...	...	1
Etáwah	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	38	...	9	...	...	1	7
Cawnpore	...	1	...	1	...	...	550	71	50	...	...	6	...	24	...	57	...	3	...	...	3	...
Fatehpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	5	...	27	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bánda	1	...	...	1	...	...	506	506	250	...	...	4	...	11	...	13	...	...	...	...	...	...
Hamírpur	1	1	1	...	...	...	160	10	...	...	...	2	...	7	...	14	...	3	...	...	...	1
Allahabad	...	1	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	...	...	5	...	24	...	115	...	13	...	...	1	...
Basti	...	1	...	...	...	...	25	3	...	...	...	3	...	7	...	11	...	3	...	4	4	2
Gorakhpur	...	3	1	...	...	...	190	125	100	...	...	6	...	14	...	30	...	2	...	...	1	6
Azamgarh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	3	...	37	...	7	...	...	3	...
Benares	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	9	...	...	...	...	...	2
Jaunpur	...	5	...	4	...	...	660	230	90	...	...	2	...	18	...	22	...	2	...	...	1	...
Mirzapur	...	1	...	1	...	...	250	350	50	...	...	8	...	17	...	22	...	1	...	...	1	...
Gházipur	...	...	...	1	...	...	250	250	...	...	...	3	...	15	...	56	...	7	...	...	1	...
Kumaun	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	11	...	1	...	...	...	1
Garhwál	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Taráí	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jhánsi	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jalaun	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lalitpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	13	33	6	16	4	2	21,547	7,466	1,100	2	...	130	4	330	...	916	...	101	...	4	21	28

No. 11.—*Statement showing particulars of trials held by Courts of Sessions with aid of assessors during the year 1879.*

Name of district.	Average number of assessors in each case.	Number of cases tried with assessors.	Number of persons of classes employed as assessors							Number of cases in which Judge agreed with assessors.	Number of cases in which Judge differed from assessors.	Number of persons fined for non-attendance	Amount of fines imposed.	Remarks.
			Pleaders.	Bankers or traders.	Engaged in service.	Agriculturists.	Landholders.	Other classes.	Total.					
													Rs. a. p.	
Saháranpur ...	3	35	3	52	...	...	42	8	105	30	5	...	...	
Muzaffarnagar ...	3	44	10	51	...	...	65	6	132	38	6	...	...	
Dehra Dún ...	3	10	5	12	...	...	6	7	30	9	1	...	...	
Meerut ...	3	52	...	45	25	12	38	35	155	48	4	1	5 0 0	
Bulandshahr ...	3	22	...	20	28	2	13	3	66	18	4	5	25 0 0	
Aligarh ...	3	42	6	25	5	...	62	8	106	40	2	...	...	
Etah ...	3	27	...	12	27	16	26	...	81	24	3	...	...	
Moradabad ...	3	83	...	76	10	...	150	5	241	69	14	2	11 0 0	
Bijnor ...	3	26	...	4	...	...	71	...	75	23	3	...	...	
Bareilly ...	3	59	...	30	16	...	96	12	204	60	2	...	...	
Pilibhít ...	3	15	...	18	...	...	27	...	45	12	3	...	...	
Budaun ...	3	34	...	26	13	12	52	...	103	29	5	...	...	
Sháhjahánpur ...	3	90	...	27	8	...	235	...	270	78	12	17	32 8 0	
Agra ...	3 assessors, 7 jurymen.	44 with assessors, 1 with jury.	16	84	27	...	8	...	135	35 with assessors, 1 with jury.	9	2	10 0 0	
Muttra ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Farukhabad ...	3	50	...	37	9	...	56	45	157	45	5	...	...	
Mainpurí ...	3	27	...	36	...	...	46	...	82	20	7	...	...	
Etáwah ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Cawnpore ...	3	90	35	118	41	...	72	...	266	82	5	5	50 0 0	
Fatehpur ...	3	35	...	50	15	...	25	13	103	33	2	1	16 0 0	
Bánda ...	3	25	2	15	18	1	25	12	73	21	4	5	16 0 0	
Hamírpur ...	3	30	1	1	15	...	65	8	90	21	9	...	...	
Allahabad ...	3	87	...	56	24	...	131	3	214	81	6	...	...	
Basti ...	3	20	...	2	...	...	58	...	60	19	1	1	10 0 0	
Gorakhpur ...	3	32	...	32	1	...	63	...	96	31	1	...	...	
Azamgarh ...	3	50	...	6	...	...	144	...	150	42	8	2	10 0 0	
Benares ...	3	43	...	76	16	...	36	7	135	41	4	...	...	
Jaunpur ...	3	47	9	30	19	...	65	9	132	45	2	...	...	
Mirzapur ...	3	48	...	39	25	30	50	...	134	43	5	...	...	
Gházipur ...	3	34	...	17	6	6	65	5	36	31	2	...	...	
Kumaun ...	3	13	3	12	4	...	17	3	39	12	1	...	...	
Garhwál ...	3	1	1	...	...	...	2	...	3	1	...	...	...	
Tarái ...	3	2	...	3	...	...	3	...	6	2	...	...	...	
Jhánsi ...	3	8	4	10	...	...	9	1	24	6	2	...	...	
Jalaun ...	3	7	...	5	...	...	14	2	21	5	2	...	...	
Lalitpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total ...	3 assessors and 7 jurymen.	1,243 with assessors, and 1 with jury.	95	1,077	352	79	1,847	122	3,642	1,097 with assessors, 1 with jury.	146	41	175 8 0	

No. 12.—*Statement showing the average number of days during which each trial and appeal lasted in Courts of Session, during the year* 1879.

District.	*Trial of committed cases.*		*Appeals.*	
	Number of trials disposed of during the year 1879.	Average number of days during which each trial lasted.	Number of appeals disposed of during the year 1879.	Average number of days during which each appeal lasted.
Saháranpur	89	38	193	16
Muzaffarnagar				
Dehra Dún				
Meerut	52	18	86	6
Bulandshahr	22	40	63	8
Aligarh	42	23	157	8
Etah	27	90	41	7
Moradabad	83	28	110	16
Bijnor	26	57	31	17
Bareilly	84	22	173	9
Budaun	34	36	31	13
Sháhjahánpur	90	24	120	11
Agra	45	22	80	15
Muttra		28	40	14
Farukhabad...	50	27	65	14
Mainpuri	27	30	25	16
Etáwah		81	42	21
Cawnpore	90	26	94	19
Fatehpur	35	43	22	14
Bánda	25	41	43	15
Hamírpur	30	76	66	17
Allahabad	87	37	97	21
Basti	20	46	63	10
Gorakhpur	32	17	110	6
Azamgarh	50	30	54	12
Benares	45	19	305	11
Jaunpur	47	33	54	11
Mirzapur	48	20	59	11
Gházipur	33	20	43	12
Kumaun	13	27	77	13
Garhwál	1	14	16	20
Tarái	2	43	4	24
Jhánsi	8	26	18	7
Jalaun	7	16	35	11
Lalitpur	...	...	22	12
Total	1,244	34	2,439	13

No. 13.—*Cases on reference, appeal and revision before the High Court of Judicature, North-Western Provinces.*

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
		Result of cases referred by Courts of Session for confirmation of sentence of death.					*Number of persons whose cases were appealed.*				*Number of persons whose cases were called for under section 294, Act X. of 1872.*				*Number of persons whose cases were submitted under section 296, Act X. of 1872.*				
Zila.	Names of Sessions Judges.	Number of persons whose sentences were referred for confirmation.	Number of persons whose sentences were confirmed.	Number of persons whose sentences were modified.	Number of persons who were acquitted.	Total.	Number in respect to whom order was confirmed.	Number in respect to whom order was modified or further enquiry directed.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Number in respect to whom order was confirmed.	Number in respect to whom order was modified or further enquiry directed.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Number in respect to whom Court concurred with referring officer.	Number in respect to whom Court did not concur with referring officer.	Total.	Percentage of column 4 to column 3.	Percentage of columns 8, 12 and 16 to columns 11, 15 and 18.
Saháranpur	W. C. Turner, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	·50
	H. Chase, Esq.	2	1	1	...	2	37	9	7	53	21	2	1	24	9	3	12	·50	·75
Meerut	R. M. King, Esq.	4	4	...	...	4	6	1	...	7	9	1	...	10	...	2	2	·100	·78
	S. S. Melville, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	28	1	4	33	5	...	...	5	1	...	1	...	·87
	H. G. Keene, Esq.	3	3	...	...	3	15	2	...	17	...	1	...	1	14	...	14	·100	·90
Aligarh	G. F. Watson, Esq. ...	...	...		...	...	7	3	4	14	15	2	..	17	...	1	1	...	·68
	C. W. Moore, Esq.	7	7	...	...	7	7	1	2	10	6	4	...	10	25	5	30	·100	·76
Moradabad	W. Young, Esq.	3	3	...	...	3	29	1	2	32	7	...	1	8	9	1	10	·100	·90
	R. M. King, Esq.	3	3	...	...	3	11	1	1	13	2	...	1	3	2	1	3	·100	·78
Bareilly	W. Tyrrell, Esq.	19	17	2	...	19	55	11	7	73	14	...	...	14	16	1	17	·89	·81
Sháhjahánpur	W. Duthoit, Esq.	10	10	...	...	10	86	7	5	98	...	4	...	4	21	1	22	·100	·86
Agra	H. G. Keene, Esq.	3	1	...	2	3	3	1	...	4	1	1	1	3	...	...	...	·33	·57
	D. M. Gardner, Esq.	3	2	1	...	3	8	...	...	8	2	...	...	2	14	2	16	·66	·92
	W. C. Turner, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	2	2	...	...
Farukhabad	R. F. Saunders, Esq.	2	2	...	...	2	33	9	...	42	12	...	...	12	6	7	13	·100	·77
Mainpuri	W. C. Turner, Esq.	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	3	3	...	6	3	...	3	·100	·64
	W. Young, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	3	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	·75
	F. E. Elliot, Esq.	15	10	...	5	15	29	3	1	33	4	4	1	9	1	...	1	·66	·79
Cawnpore	J. H. Prinsep, Esq.	2	1	...	1	2	2	1	2	5	10	...	...	10	2	2	4	·50	·74
	W. C. Turner, Esq.	7	6	1	...	7	17	4	1	22	1	3	...	4	6	1	7	·85	·72

No. 13.—*Cases on reference, appeal and revision before the High Court of Judicature, North-Western Provinces*—(concluded).

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
		Result of cases referred by Courts of Session for confirmation of sentence of death.					*Number of persons whose cases were appealed.*				*Number of persons whose cases were called for under section 296, Act X of 1872.*				*Number of persons whose cases were submitted under section 296, Act X of 1872.*				
Zila.	Names of Sessions Judges.	Number of persons whose sentences were referred for confirmation.	Number of persons whose sentences were confirmed.	Number of persons whose sentences were modified.	Number of persons who were acquitted.	Total.	Number in respect to whom order was confirmed	Number in respect to whom order was modified or further enquiry directed.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Number in respect to whom order was confirmed.	Number in respect to whom order was modified or further enquiry directed.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Number in respect to whom Court concurred with referring officer.	Number in respect to whom Court did not concur with referring officer.	Total.	Percentage of column 4 to column 3.	Percentage of columns 8, 12 and 16 to columns 11, 15 and 18.
Bánda	E. B. Thornhill, Esq.	3	3	...	...	3	7	2	...	9	...	...	...	..	319	9	328	·100	·96
	D. M. Gardner, Esq.	2	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	24	...	24	·100	100
Allahabad	H. A. Harrison, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	..	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
	H. Lushington, Esq.	2	2	...	...	2	12	10	2	24	22	19	2	43	...	3	3	·100	·48
Gorakhpur	C. J. Daniell, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	1	6	...	7	2	2	...	4	4	...	4	...	·46
	R. G. Currie, Esq.	4	4	...	...	4	17	12	2	31	11	2	...	13	35	2	37	·100	·77
Azamgarh	H. D. Willock, Esq.	1	1	...	...	1	30	11	...	41	3	...	...	3	100	12	112	·100	·85
Benares	M. Brodhurst, Esq.	3	3	...	...	3	44	5	...	49	10	9	1	20	12	...	12	·100	81
	G. E. Knox, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	15	2	...	17	1	..	...	1	...	...	...	...	·88
Mirzapur	H. A. Harrison, Esq.	1	1	...	...	1	5	2	...	7	3	1	...	4	9	3	12	·100	·73
	J. M. C. Steinbelt, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	5	2	...	7	1	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	·77
Gházipur	J. W. Power, Esq.	1	1	...	...	1	20	2	2	24	18	10	...	28	1	...	1	·100	·73
	R. Wall, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	·100
Kumaun	Major-General the Hon'ble Sir Henry Ramsay, C.B., K.C.S.I. ...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	1	6	7	5	2	14	1	2	3	...	·56
Jhánsi	J. W. Quinton, Esq.	2	1	1	...	2	4	...	...	4	4	1	...	5	7	1	8	·50	·88
	P. White, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	·100
	Major J. Liston, ...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	·100
	G. R. C. Williams, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	·100
	W. J. Greenwood, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	·100
	G. Adams, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	·100
Total ...	... ...	103	89	6	8	103	560	109	43	712	196	78	10	284	643	61	704	·86	·82

No. 14.—*Statement of business disposed of in the High Court of Judicature for the North-Western Provinces in the year* 1879, *original side.*

	Cases			Before					
	Remaining from the year 1878.	Filed in the year 1879.	Disposed of on merits.	One Civilian Judge.	One Barrister Judge.	One Barrister and one Civilian Judge.	One Barrister and two Civilian Judges.	Otherwise disposed of.	Days of sitting.
Criminal trials	...	6	5	...	5	...	...	...	8

No. 15.—*Statement showing the nature of the penalties inflicted under the judgment of the High Court, North-Western Provinces, in the year* 1879.

Penalties. (A.)	Appellate Jurisdiction.		Original Jurisdiction.	
	1878.	1879.	1878.	1879.
Death	139	89	...	...
Transportation for life	25	7	...	...
Transportation above 7 years and not exceeding 14 years.	8	9	...	...
Imprisonment for life	...	...	...	...
Ditto above 12 years and not exceeding 21 years,	3	4	...	...
Ditto above 5 years and not exceeding 10 years,	37	46	...	1
Ditto not exceeding 5 years	179	124	4	2
The average duration of cases in the High Court was 14 days.				

Note.—(A). This statement shows confirmations of sentences of death and penalties inflicted by the High Court in supersession of sentences of Lower Courts.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. II.—(CRIMINAL).

Statement of offences reported, and persons tried, convicted, and acquitted for each offence, in the districts of the North-Western Provinces, in the year 1879.

Description of offences.						Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Died, escaped or transferred.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
I.—OFFENCES UNDER THE PENAL CODE.												
Offences against the State ...	Chapter	VI	Secs.	121 to 130 ...	... ...	1	2	3	...	3	...	
Offences against the Army or Navy ...	„	VII	„	131 to 140 ...	... ...	2	2	3	1	2	...	
Offences against the public tranquillity ...	„	VIII	„	143 to 145, 149 to 151, 157, 158	Unlawful assembly	3	82	613	191	378	19	25
			„	147, 148, 152 and 153 to 156 ...	Rioting, &c.	4	232	1,656	283	1,304	1	68
			„	160 ...	Affray	5	388	1,659	286	1,373	...	...
Offences by or relating to public servants ...	„	IX	„	161 to 169 ...	By public servants	6	167	195	81	112	...	2
			„	161, 170 and 171,	Relating to public servants ...	7	45	50	16	31	...	...
Contempts of the lawful authority of public servants ...	„	X	„	172 to 190 ...	... ...	8	2,523	5,479	1,332	4,120	4	23
False evidence and offences against public officers ...	„	XI	„	193 to 200 ...	False evidence or subornation, &c., of public servants	9	326	588	217	350	1	20
			„	201 to 229 ...	Offences against public justice ...	10	945	1,361	347	998	1	15
Offences relating to coin and Government stamps ...	„	XII	„	231 to 254 ...	Offences relating to coins ...	11	171	164	62	101	...	1
			„	255 to 263 ...	Offences relating to stamps ...	12	37	42	19	20	...	3
Offences relating to weights and measures,	„	XIII	„	264 to 267 ...	... ...	13	92	259	68	191	...	...
Offences affecting the public health, safety, convenience, decency and morals ...	„	XIV	„	269 to 278 ...	Offences affecting public health ...	14	235	510	99	411	...	...
			„	279 to 289 ...	Ditto safety ...	15	174	278	63	214	...	1
			„	290 and 291 ...	Ditto convenience ...	16	224	1,185	121	1,061	...	...
			„	292 to 294 ...	Ditto decency and morals,	17	29	36	9	26	1	1
			„	294A. ...	Keeping lottery office or publishing proposals for lottery	17a	...	...	...	...	...	...
Offences relating to religion ...	„	XV	„	295 to 298 ...	... ...	18	53	65	46	18	...	1
			„	302 and 303 ...	Murder	19	255	410	125	239	4	42
			„	307 ...	Attempt at murder	20	66	75	22	50	1	...
			„	304 ...	Culpable homicide	21	187	405	159	212	3	31
			„	304A. ...	Causing death by rash or negligent act	21a	49	62	20	42	...	...
			„	308 ...	Attempt at culpable homicide ...	22	5	13	1	11	...	1
			„	305 and 306 ...	Abetment of suicide	23	...	...	...	...	...	...

	„	309	...	Attempted suicide	24	843	576	131	435	6	4
	„	311	...	Thagi, &c.	25	...	...	...	...	...	...
	„	312 to 315	...	Causing miscarriage	26	27	56	39	12	1	4
	„	316	...	Injury to unborn children... ...	27	...	...	...	...	...	...
	„	317	...	Exposure of infants	28	50	47	9	36	...	2
	„	318	...	Concealment of birth by secret disposal of dead body	29	67	63	15	46	2	...
Offences affecting the human body ...	„ XVI	„ 325 to 331 & 333,		Hurt with aggravating circumstances,	30	1,129	1,759	566	1,157	12	24
		„ 323, 324, 332 and 334 to 338.		Other cases	31	33,800	19,897	4,681	6,172	14	30
		„ 341	...	Wrongful restraint	32	829	688	383	300	1	4
		„ 342 to 348	...	Wrongful confinement	33	287	201	132	66	1	2
		„ 352 to 358	...	Criminal force or assault	34	7,479	8,763	4,670	4,080	10	23
		„ 364, 366, 367	...	Kidnapping or forcible abduction with aggravating circumstances ...	35	27	45	19	23	...	3
		„ 363, 365, 368, 369		Other cases	36	197	355	159	178	18	3
		„ 370, 371	...	Slavery	37	4	3	2	1	...	...
		„ 372 and 373	...	Buying or selling a minor for the purpose of prostitution	38	51	101	41	56	3	1
		„ 374	...	Forced labor	39	5	12	9	3	...	...
		„ 376	...	Rape	40	265	196	128	65	1	2
		„ 377	...	Unnatural offence	41	75	72	30	41	...	1
		„ 382	...	Theft with aggravating circumstances	42	14	47	13	31	1	2
		„ 379 to 381 and 401		Other cases	43	42,725	21,945	3,571	17,243	97	134
		„ 386 to 389	...	Extortion with aggravating circumstances	44	...	...	...	...	...	...
		„ 384 to 385	...	Other cases	45	721	376	252	115	...	9
		„ 394	...	Robbery. With hurt	46	42	70	25	44	1	...
		„ 392	...	Robbery. Other cases	47	397	897	180	208	...	9
		„ 393	...	Robbery. Attempts	48	7	7	1	6	...	...
		„ 396	...	Dacoity. With murder	49	2	12	4	7	1	...
		„ 397	...	Dacoity. With attempt to cause death or grievous hurt	50	16	61	17	43	1	...
		„ 398	...	Dacoity. Attempted robbery or dacoity when armed with deadly weapons	51	2	33	3	2	17	4
Offences against property ...	„ XVII	„ 395, 399, 400 and 402,		Dacoity. Other cases	52	69	197	69	115	1	12
		„ 403 and 404	...	Criminal misappropriation of property	53	560	524	254	316	...	4
		„ 406 to 409	...	Criminal breach of trust ...	54	1,008	847	348	436	3	12
		„ 411 to 414	...	Receiving or habitually dealing in stolen or plundered property ...	55	5,219	7,932	1,864	5,943	48	77
		„ 417 to 420	...	Cheating	56	883	821	442	351	4	24
		„ 421 to 424	...	Fraudulent deeds or disposition of property	57	4	7	1	3	...	3
		„ 429 to 433 and 435 to 440 ...		Mischief. With aggravating circumstances,	58	648	480	241	222	2	15
		„ 426 to 428 and 434		Mischief. Other causes	59	5,609	4,325	2,473	1,827	8	15
		„ 449 and 450 ...		Criminal trespass. Resulting in death or grievous hurt	60	6	16	3	13	...	...
		„ 449 to 452, 454, 455, 457 and 458 ...		Criminal trespass. For commission of serious offences	61	27,263	4,710	887	3,760	7	56
		„ 447, 448, 453, 456, 461 and 462 ..		Criminal trespass. Other cases ...	62	6,587	4,597	2,304	2,259	8	26

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Statement of offences reported, and of persons tried, convicted, and acquitted for each offence, in the districts of the North-Western Provinces, in the year 1879—(concluded).

Description of offences.								Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Died, escaped or transferred.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
I.—OFFENCES UNDER THE PENAL CODE—(*concluded*).														
Offences relating to documents and to trade or property mark	Chap. XVIII	Secs. 465 to 471 and 474	...	Forgery or uttering or possessing forged documents or papers ...				63	91	156	95	36	4	21	
		„ 472 to 476	...	Counterfeiting or making or possessing a counterfeit seal, &c., for purposes of forgery ...				64	...	...	...	...	...	...	
		„ 477	...	Fraudulently destroying or defacing a will or other documents ...				65	12	10	10	...	...	...	
		„ 482, 486, 487 and 488	...	Using a false trade or property mark and knowingly selling property so marked ...				66	1	1	1	...	...	...	
		„ 483 to 485	...	Counterfeiting or making or possessing a die, plate or instrument for counterfeiting a trade or property mark ...				67	...	...	...	...	...	...	
		„ 489	...	Removing, destroying, &c., a trade or property mark with intent to cause injury ...				68	2	4	2	2	...	...	
Criminal breach of contracts and service ...	„ XIX	„ 490 to 492	...	...	...	...	...	69	62	202	50	152	...	...	
Offences relating to marriage ...	„ XX	„ 493 to 498	...	...	...	...	..	70	1,874	1,492	983	492	2	17	
Defamation ...	„ XXI	„ 500 to 502	...	...	...	...	...	71	168	161	110	51	...	...	
Criminal intimidation, insult or annoyance.	„ XXII	„ 506	...	Resulting in death or other grievous hurt				72	16	31	20	11	...	...	
		„ 504 to 510	...	Other cases				73	494	498	247	250	1	...	
II.—OFFENCES UNDER SPECIAL AND LOCAL LAWS.														
BREACHES OF THE LAW RELATING TO—														
Arms, Ammunition and Military Stores							Act 11 of 1878	74	261	336	69	265	...	2	
Cantonments, Military							„ 22 of 1864	75	2,285	3,725	251	3,474	...	...	
Contagious diseases							„ 14 of 1868	76	45	64	1	63	...	...	
Coinage and Mint							„ 23 of 1870	77	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Companies' Act							„ 10 of 1866	78	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Criminal Tribes and Eunuchs							„ 27 of 1871	79	43	96	5	88	...	3	
Cattle Trespass							„ 1 of 1871	80	927	1,245	381	856	1	7	
Contract workmen							„ 13 of 1859	81	7	8	6	2	...	...	
Canal Drainage, and Embankments							„ 8 of 1873	82	1,755	4,545	889	3,656	...	...	

Customs, Sea	,, 8 of 1878	83	5	5	1	4						
Ditto, Inland	,, 8 of 1875	84	433	734	33	701						
Elephants	,, 6 of 1879	85										
Emigration	,, 7 of 1879	86	3	6	5	1						
Excise	,, 10 of 1871	87	769	1,254	264	977	1		12			
Ferries	,, 17 of 1878	88	27	47	24	22	1					
Foreigners	Regulation 11 of 1812 and Act 3 of 1864	89										
Forests	Act 7 of 1878	90	104	310	107	197	6					
Gambling	,, 3 of 1867	91	327	1,639	312	1,327						
Hackney and Stage Carriages	,, 16 of 1861	92	113	180	31	149						
Infanticide	,, 8 of 1870	93	308	526	116	494	...		6			
Inoculation	,, 24 of 1868	94										
Land Acquisition	,, 10 of 1870	95										
License Tax	,, 2 of 1878	96										
Marriage, Christian	,, 15 of 1872	97										
Municipalities	,, 15 of 1873	98	4,992	10,006	935	9,047	3		21			
Opium	,, 13 of 1857 and 1 of 1878	99	376	682	137	541	1		3			
Pleaders	,, 20 of 1865	100										
Police, District	,, 5 of 1861	101	3,895	9,947	558	9,373	2		14			
Ditto, Town	,, 20 of 1856	102	8	13	1	12	...		...			
Ditto, Road and Village	,, 16 of 1873	103	286	433	79	353	...		1			
Post-offices	,, 14 of 1866	104	32	34	8	26	...		...			
Prisons	,, 26 of 1870	105	30	35	2	33	...		...			
Prisoners	,, 5 of 1871	106										
Press, native	,, 9 of 1878	107										
Printing Presses	,, 25 of 1867	108	1	1	...	1						
Railways	,, 4 of 1879	109	413	608	100	505	1		2			
Registration of Documents	,, 3 of 1877	110	4	2	2							
Sarais and Paraos	,, 22 of 1867	111	6	23	1	22						
Stamps	,, 1 of 1879	112	968	2,529	411	2,111	...		7			
Telegraphs	,, 1 of 1876	113	11	13	3	10						
Treasure Trove	,, 6 of 1878	114	12	22	6	16						
Tolls	,, 8 of 1851, ,, 15 of 1864 and 1 of 1867	115										
Vagrancy, European	,, 9 of 1874	116	4	5	...	5	...		...			
Volunteers	,, 20 of 1869	117										
Total*			164,341	127,068	33,739	92,205	423		701			

* Proceedings under Chapters XXVIII., XXXVII., XXXVIII., XXXIX., XL., and XLI. of the Code of Criminal Procedure are not shown in this statement. They are included in the entries in Statement No. I.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. III.—(CRIMINAL).

Statement showing the general result of criminal trials in the North-Western Provinces, in the year 1879.

	Remaining at the end of last year.	Number of persons dealt with.						Persons disposed of.					Remaining at the end of the year.	Average number of days during which each case lasted.	Number of witnesses who attended.	Remarks.
		Brought to trial during the year.				Received by transfer.	Total.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped, or transferred.				
		Under arrest by Police.	Upon warrant.	On summons.	Voluntarily.											
Village officers, unpaid Magistrates...	13	8,898	170	8,762	333	2	18,178	2,227	2,218	13,549	117	41	26	5	25,533	
Local subordinate paid Magistrates...	159	20,002	746	23,854	1,430	41	46,232	7,025	5,459	32,538	939	135	126	2	98,844	
Full power Magistrates exercising power throughout the district.	774	36,913	1,912	22,798	1,155	380	63,932	7,410	8,930	45,570	1,301	168	553	6	162,016	
Chief Magistrates of districts ...	28	2,415	228	1,850	99	196	4,816	531	609	3,360	174	79	63	7	10,253	
Total, Magistracy ...	974	68,228	3,056	57,264	3,017	619	133,158	17,193	17,226	95,017	2,531	423	768	6	291,646	
Sessions Courts	270	2,232	145	25	27	102	2,801	...	629	1,868	103	31	170	34	7,675	
High Court	...	5	1	...	...	...	6	...	2	3	...	...	1	1	23	
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,244	70,465	3,202	57,289	3,044	721	135,965	17,193	17,857	96,888	2,634	454	939	13	299,344	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. IV—(CRIMINAL).

Statement showing the punishment inflicted by various criminal tribunals in the North-Western Provinces, in the year 1879.

Class of tribunal.	PERSONS SENTENCED TO—												*Persons ordered to find or give.*		
		TRANSPORTATION.			IMPRISONMENT.				FINE.		WHIPPING.				
					Rigorous.										
	Death.	For life.	For a term.	Penal servitude.	With solitary confinement.	Without solitary confinement.	Simple.	Forfeiture of property.	With imprisonment.	Without imprisonment.	In addition to other punishment.	In lieu of other punishment.	Security to keep the peace.	Recognizance.	Security for good behaviour.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
By village officers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
By unpaid Magistrates	...	...	...	...	11	1,073	49	...	117	11,827	47	301	40	2	21
By subordinate local paid Magistrates ...	...	...	...	...	62	6,687	573	...	896	21,493	144	2,889	21	23	61
By full power Magistrates of general jurisdiction.	...	...	...	...	272	13,330	580	...	1,727	19,662	577	5,027	940	1,399	919
By Chief Magistrates of districts ...	...	...	...	...	31	1,042	67	...	132	1,472	54	422	109	122	154
By Sessions Courts	103	164	92	...	80	1,397	5	...	63	11	30	26	...	...	...
By High Court	...	...	...	...	...	3.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	103	164	92	...	456	23,532	1,274	...	2,935	54,465	852	8,665	1,110	1,546	1,155

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. IV.—(Criminal).

Statement showing the punishments inflicted by various criminal tribunals in the North-Western Provinces, in the year 1879.—(concluded.)

Class of tribunal.	DETAIL OF PUNISHMENT.																					
	Fine.									Imprisonment.										Whipped.		
										15 *days.*		6 *months.*		2 *years.*		7 *years.*		*Above 7 years.*				
	Rs. 10 and under.	Rs. 50 and under.	Rs. 100 and under.	Rs. 500 and under.	Rs. 1,000 and under.	Above Rs. 1,000.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	10 stripes and under.	20 stripes and under.	30 stripes and under.
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
							Rs.	Rs.	Rs.													
By village officers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
By unpaid Magistrates ...	11,044	352	11	4	...	...	24,459	18,077	1,458	364	72	705	17	105	...	...	...	...	...	102	115	81
By subordinate local paid Magistrates.	21,986	1,666	45	12	2	...	86,040	81,417	4,299	2,692	198	4,934	190	246	...	...	...	...	...	870	773	237
By full power Magistrates of general Jurisdiction.	18,123	3,102	300	82	12	...	1,78,116	1,17,338	10,286	1,290	354	8,311	355	6,378	9	10	...	....	...	1,814	2,698	1,379
By Chief Magistrates of districts.	1,282	371	31	21	1	...	22,599	15,705	963	55	32	502	42	666	...	23	...	...	...	150	123	124
By Sessions Court	13	33	6	16	4	2	21,547	7,466	1,100	2	...	130	4	330	...	916	...	101	...	4	21	28
By High Court	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	52,448	5,524	393	135	19	2	3,32,761	2,40,003	17,756	4,403	656	14,584	608	7,725	9	950	...	101	...	2,940	3,730	1,849

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. V.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing the result of appeal and revision in criminal cases in the North-Western Provinces, during the year 1879.

Tribunal.		Number of appellants or persons applying for revision.	Number of persons.								Remarks.
			Appeal or application rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences modified.	Sentences reversed.	Proceedings quashed.	Further inquiry or evidence ordered.	Cases referred for revision to High Court.	Pending.	
To Magistrates of districts.	Appeals from unpaid Magistrates ...	453	37	268	57	78	...	10	...	3	
	Appeals from paid Magistrates ...	2,844	500	1,331	364	454	...	135	...	25	
To Sessions Courts.	Appeals from unpaid Magistrates ...	54	15	18	15	6	...	...	...	...	
	Appeals from paid Magistrates ...	3,521	35	1,586	366	455	...	60	...	61	
	High Court	1,803	229	1,259	193	61	2	28	...	31	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. VI.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing use of juries and assessors in the criminal courts of the North-Western Provinces, during the year 1879.

Classes of courts and in which jurors and assessors are employed.	Established or average number of jury or assessors in each case and prescribed qualification.	Number of cases tried by jury.	Number of cases with assessors.	Jury trial.		Assessors trial.		Note showing in what classes of cases juries and assessors have been principally employed.	Remarks.
				Cases in which the Judge approved of the verdict.	Cases in which the Judge did not approve of the verdict.	Number of cases in which Judge agreed with assessors.	Number of cases in which Judge differed from assessors.		
Sessions Judges' Courts, North-Western Provinces.	Assessors ... 3 Jurors ... 7	1	1,243	1	...	1,097	146	Traders and land-holders.	
High Court, North-Western Provinces. ...	Jurors ... 9	5	...	5	...	...	...	Military officers, clerks and traders.	

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NOTE

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CRIMINAL STATEMENTS

For the year 1880.

THE number of offences reported was 167,899 against 166,138 in 1879 and 220,852 in 1878, and of those prosecuted 74,489 against 73,400 in 1879 and 108,934 in 1878.

2. The number of persons under trial in the Courts of Magistrates was still smaller than in the previous year, being 132,476 against 133,158 in 1879. Of these 132,476 persons 71 per cent. were convicted and 2 per cent. committed to Courts of Session.

3. There was a marked decrease in convictions for offences against property and an equally marked increase in convictions for offences against the person. Convictions for theft and dishonestly receiving stolen property were fewer by 2,473 than in the previous year. Convictions and committals for murder, attempt to murder, and culpable homicide not amounting to murder, on the other hand, were 694 in number against 501 in 1879. Convictions for hurt were 8,094 against 7,329, and for offences against the public tranquillity 3,843 against 3,055. Convictions for offences affecting the public health, safety and convenience were 37 per cent. more numerous than in the previous year, and convictions under the Municipalities Act 12 per cent. Five hundred and three persons were convicted under the Arms Act against 265 in 1879; 1,211 under the Excise Act against 977; and 1,768 under the Gambling Act against 1,327. Under the Cantonments Act, on the other hand, 2,869 persons were convicted against 3,474 in the preceding year; under the Canal Act 2,726 against 3,656; under the Indian Customs Act 448 against 701; under the Opium Acts 480 against 541; and under the Stamp Act 882 against 2,111.

4. Convictions under the Excise Act were most numerous in the Gorakhpur (316), Allahabad (110), Mirzapur (90), Bareilly (88), Fatehpur (51), Basti (40), Sháhjahánpur (38), Pilibhít (37), Mainpuri (37), Benares (35), and Azamgarh (35) districts; and fewest in the Etáwah (10), Saháranpur (9), Aligarh (8), Ballia (7), Bulandshahr (6), Muzaffarnagar (5), Kumaun (4), Tárai (3), Jalaun (3), Lalitpur (2), and Garhwal (0) districts.

5. Convictions under the Gambling Act were most numerous in the Benares (320), Farukhabad (174), Allahabad (141), Mirzapur (138), Moradabad (135), and Agra (133) districts; under the Opium Acts in Gorakhpur (79), Farukhabad (64), Etáwah (46), Cawnpore (44), and Basti (34); and under the Stamp Act in Meerut (190), Muttra (98), Bánda (95), Cawnpore (69), and Agra (50). In the Bulandshahr, Moradabad, and Pilibhít districts there were no prosecutions under the Stamp Act.

Of the 53 persons tried under the Treasure Trove Act 22 were acquitted—one in Jaunpur, six in Bulandshahr, and 15 in Meerut.

6. Of the 93,163 persons convicted by Magistrates 62 per cent. were fined, 22 per cent. imprisoned, 7 per cent. whipped, 3 per cent. imprisoned and fined, and the remaining 6 per cent. otherwise punished.

7. The amount of the fines imposed by Magistrates was Rs. 3,29,805, of which Rs. 2,75,994, or 84 per cent., were realized. In the previous year the percentage of fines realized to fines imposed was 75 only.

Seven per cent. of the fines realized were paid to injured persons in compensation or amend.

8. One thousand eight hundred and fifteen persons were called on to show cause why they should not be required to find security for good behaviour—593 under section 504 of the Code of Criminal Procedure and 1,222 under section 505. Of the former 405, and of the latter 850, were required to find security. Of these 1,255 persons, 235 only were able to find the security demanded and 1,020 were imprisoned in default. In 57 per cent. of the cases under section 505 the security was required by Magistrates who were members of the Civil Service, in 6 per cent. by other Magistrates of European descent, and in 37 per cent. by Native Magistrates.

The number of persons required to give security under section 504 was largest in the Gorakhpur (66) and Aligarh (46) districts, and of those required to give security under section 505 in the Meerut (110), Bareilly (85), Agra (71), and Gorakhpur (68) districts.

The Court has recently communicated to the Government its opinion that the power to require security for good behaviour from persons alleged to be habitual offenders should be made a power specially conferrable by the Local Government and not be left inherent, as it now is, in every Magistrate of the 1st class.

9. The number of witnesses who attended the Courts of Magistrates was 294,248, as compared with 291,646 in 1879, 383,439 in 1878, 338,515 in 1877, and 302,761 in 1876. Only 5 per cent. of the witnesses who attended were detained above one day.

10. The average duration of cases in Courts of Magistrates was six days, the same as in 1879 and 1878.

11. The number of persons who preferred appeals from, or applied for the revision of, orders of Subordinate Magistrates to Magistrates of Districts was 3,323, or larger than in either of the two preceding years. The percentage of these appellants and applicants who succeeded in obtaining the reversal or modification of the orders of which they complained was 31 against 29 in the previous year.

12. The number of persons who preferred appeals from, or applied for the revision of, orders of Magistrates to Courts of Sessions was 3,588, and the percentage of those who succeeded in their appeals or applications was 23, being the same as in the two preceding years.

13. Two thousand four hundred and forty persons were committed to Courts of Session during the year, and 170 having remained over from 1879, there were 2,610 persons to be tried. Of the 2,432 whose cases were disposed of, 1,802, or 74 per cent., were convicted against 76 per cent. in 1879 and 77 per cent. in 1878. Of those who were convicted, 4 per cent. were sentenced to death, 7 per cent. to transportation

for life, 4 per cent. to transportation for a term, 82 per cent. to imprisonment, 2 per cent. to fine, and 1 per cent. to whipping.

14. Ten thousand three hundred and twenty-seven witnesses attended Courts of Session during the year against 7,675 in the previous year.

15. The average duration of committed cases in Courts of Session was 33 days against 34 in 1879 and 30 in 1878, and of appeals 13 days against 13 in 1879 and 14 in 1878.

16. In the High Court the result of references in respect of the 66 persons on whom sentence of death had been passed was confirmation in respect of 56, or 84 per cent.; modification of sentence in respect of 5, or 8 per cent.; and acquittal in respect of 5, or 8 per cent.

Five hundred and eight persons appealed to the High Court, and 145, or 28 per cent. of them, succeeded in obtaining either a modification or a reversal of their sentences or an order for the retrial of their cases.

The High Court called for the cases of 181 persons under section 294 of the Code of Criminal Procedure and interfered with the orders passed in respect of 49, or 27 per cent.

The cases of 244 persons were submitted to the High Court by Courts of Session and Magistrates of Districts under section 296 of the Code. In the case of 176, or 72 per cent. of these persons, the High Court concurred with the referring officer.

Thus, on appeal, reference and revision, the High Court disposed, on the merits, of the cases of 999 persons as against those of 1,803 in 1879 and 1,840 in 1878. The returns of the two preceding years were abnormally swollen by the many illegal convictions under the Stamp Act which were submitted to the Court for revision from the Hamírpur district.

17. On the original side of the High Court five criminal trials were held and concluded.

18. The average duration of cases in the High Court as a Court of appeal, reference and revision was 15 days against 14 days in 1879.

19. From the commencement of the current year revised registers and statements have been brought into use as required by the Resolution of the Government of India, Home, Revenue, and Agricultural Department, No. $\frac{3}{91-102}$, dated the 27th January, 1880. In these Provinces the criminal registers, where they had been prescribed at all, had long become obsolete in form. The new statements are more complete and exhaustive than those they have superseded.

20. For its own information, and with the view of ultimately securing material to assist the subordinate Courts in the exercise of their discretion as to the infliction of punishment, the Court has added to these statements one showing the average terms of imprisonment awarded by Magistrates and Sessions Judges for certain offences under the Indian Penal Code.

One of these offences is cattle-lifting. During the first six months of the current year 1,037 persons were sentenced for this offence to terms of imprisonment amounting in the aggregate to 1,020 years. The average term of imprisonment throughout the Provinces was therefore about one year. But it differs greatly in different districts. In the Tarái, for instance, a term of two years appears to be the uniform sentence for cattle-lifting.

In Bánda the average sentence is less than six months. In Hamírpur the average term of imprisonment is three times as long as in the adjoining district of Cawnpore; in Bareilly more than twice as long as in Moradabad; and in Lalitpur nearly three times as long as in Jhánsi.

Another offence is theft and dishonest receiving of property other than cattle. During the first half of this year 4,456 persons were sentenced for this offence to terms of imprisonment amounting in the aggregate to 2,217 years, or to an average term of six months each. In the Aligarh district the average sentence passed on 136 convicts was 7½ months; in the Etah district, in the same Sessions Division, the average sentence passed on 203 convicts for this offence was 2¾ months. The average term of imprisonment was 3 months in Bánda and 8 months in Hamírpur: more than 8 months in Gorakhpur and but little more than 2 months in Basti: more than a year in Saháranpur and 4 months only in Muzaffarnagar.

Another offence is the enticing away of married women with criminal intent (section 498 of the Penal Code). One hundred and thirty-seven persons were sentenced for this offence to an average term of 5 months each. In Cawnpore the average sentence was 13 months; in the Tarái 9 months; in the Fatehpur district 9 months; and in Meerut 8 months. In Moradabad it was 4 months; in Sháhjahánpur and Aligarh less than 3 months.

Another offence is that punishable under section 376 of the Penal Code. Here the sentences run from one to ten years, the average sentence passed on 30 convicts being a little over four years. So, sentences for the offence described in section 377 of the Code vary from one to ten years, the highest and the lowest sentence having been passed on precisely similar facts in two cases now before the Court on revision.

It is needless to give further examples of the want of uniformity in the award of punishment. The subject is engaging the close attention of the High Court, and when the statements for the whole year have been received, they will be tabulated and circulated for the consideration of subordinate Courts.

21. In the annual reports allusion is made to the inconvenience Magistrates experience in the management of their record-rooms in consequence of there being no definite rules for the destruction of records of Criminal Courts. The rules of the Sadr Nizamat Adalat, which were made before there was either a Penal Code or a Code of Criminal Procedure, are obsolete, and in some districts no copy of them even exists. So far as judicial criminal records are concerned, the inconvenience complained of will be removed by the rules which have been framed by the High Court under Act III., 1879, and now only await confirmation by His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and the sanction of the Government of India. But those rules will not touch the innumerable records pertaining to matters dealt with by Magistrates in their executive capacity, instructions as to the retention and disposal of which are said to be urgently needed.

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, N.-W. P.,
Allahabad, the 25th August 1881.

S. HARVEY JAMES,
Registrar.

No. 1.—*General statement showing the number of offences reported and prosecuted as well as the number of persons under trial, and those whose cases were disposed of during the year* 1880, *in the Magisterial Courts of the North-Western Provinces.*

District.	Number of offences reported during present year.	Number of offences prosecuted.	Number of persons under trial during present year.	*Number of persons whose cases were disposed of.*		Number of persons whose cases were left undisposed of at the close of the year.	Percentage of persons convicted and committed to those whose cases were disposed of.	Remarks.
				Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted, including committed.			
Saháranpur	4,304	1,818	2,921	743	2,158	17	·74	
Muzaffarnagar	4,076	1,962	3,648	1,387	2,247	12	·61	
Debra Dún	1,331	1,220	2,073	699	1,368	2	·66	
Meerut	5,166	2,866	6,014	1,778	4,190	32	64	
Bulandshahr	3,437	2,248	4,632	1,343	3,247	37	·70	
Aligarh	4,937	2,432	4,430	1,162	3,221	45	·74	
Etah	5,645	2,202	3,537	825	2,689	20	·77	
Moradabad	10,649	3,614	5,956	1,726	4,201	11	·70	
Bijnor	2,506	1,372	2,455	853	1,570	25	·64	
Bareilly	8,439	3,674	6,426	1,814	4,558	53	·75	
Budaun	5,689	1,670	2,620	446	2,156	15	·80	
Sháhjahánpur	8,836	2,832	4,773	1,392	3,348	25	·70	
Agra	4,922	3,357	6,150	1,321	4,792	35	·70	
Muttra	2,985	1,853	3,455	785	2,647	22	·77	
Farukhabad	2,779	2,446	4,092	935	3,123	29	·76	
Mainpuri	2,765	1,512	2,797	576	2,152	34	·78	
Etáwah	3,625	1,485	2,564	648	1,896	18	·75	
Cawnpore	8,274	4,521	7,660	1,304	6,325	19	·84	
Fatehpur	3,887	1,759	3,595	635	2,917	37	·82	
Bánda	3,873	2,537	4,858	1,357	3,459	31	·72	
Hamírpur	2,774	1,296	2,024	430	1,570	21	·64	
Allahabad	7,884	3,626	6,537	1,724	4,783	24	·73	
Gorakhpur	14,800	4,303	6,622	1,758	4,824	35	·73	
Basti	7,698	1,835	3,244	1,158	2,039	28	·64	
Azamgarh	6,705	1,635	2,860	752	2,081	26	·72	
Benares	6,648	3,973	7,381	2,274	5,079	24	·69	
Jaunpur	4,919	1,944	3,103	1,414	1,676	11	·54	
Mirzapur	6,309	2,093	4,031	1,327	2,641	62	66	
Gházipur	4,984	2,211	4,168	931	3,199	36	·76	
Kumaun	1,207	971	1,681	372	1,272	18	·76	
Garhwál	686	208	428	173	252	2	·59	
Tarái	425	279	563	109	445	...	·79	
Jhánsi	2,470	1,223	2,363	427	1,918	12	·81	
Jalaun	1,378	836	1,657	332	1,311	11	·74	
Lalitpur	887	676	1,158	289	845	12	·74	
Total of 1880	1,67,899	74,489	1,32,476	35,199	96,199	841	·73	
Total of 1879	1,66,138	73,400	1,33,158	34,419	97,548	768	·73	
District average for 1880	4,797	2,128	3,785	1,004	2,748	26	·73	
District average for 1879	4,746	2,097	3,804	983	2,787	22	·73	

No. 2.—Statement showing the general results of criminal trials before the various magisterial authorities in the districts of the North-Western Provinces, during the year 1880.

District	Number of persons dealt with.					Persons disposed of.				Remaining at the end of the year.				
	Remaining at the end of last year.	Brought to trial during the year. By arrest.	Brought to trial during the year. By summons or recognizance.	Received by transfer.	Total.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted, including committed.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	In custody.	On bail or recognizance.	Number of enquiries by Magistrates.	Number of cases pending above six weeks at the end of the year.	Percentage of convictions in cases committed.
Saháranpur	35	1,554	1,331	1	2,921	356	387	2,158	3	13	4	...	...	·72
Muzaffarnagar	12	1,224	2,408	4	3,648	1,122	265	2,247	2	6	6	301	9	·80
Dehra Dún	5	930	1,138	...	2,073	420	279	1,368	4	...	2	...	1	·100
Meerut	46	2,951	3,017	...	6,014	632	1,146	4,190	14	12	20	...	...	·71
Bulandshahr	27	1,648	2,955	2	4,632	1,080	263	3,247	5	30	7	10	...	·97
Aligarh	34	2,275	2,121	...	4,430	572	590	3,221	2	23	22	...	...	...
Etah	44	2,079	1,411	3	3,537	441	334	2,689	3	6	14	...	...	...
Moradabad	10	2,868	3,060	18	5,956	749	977	4,201	18	7	4	44	...	·61
Bijnor	14	1,074	1,364	3	2,455	311	542	1,570	7	9	16	...	3	·50
Bareilly	19	3,981	2,474	2	6,426	737	1,077	4,558	1	30	23	7	...	·77
Budaun	11	1,719	888	2	2,620	174	272	2,156	3	4	11	91	1	·72
Shábjahánpur	25	3,055	1,685	8	4,773	699	693	3,348	8	20	5	336	...	·70
Agra	27	3,477	2,646	...	6,150	707	614	4,792	2	14	21	...	...	·73
Muttra	3	1,773	1,679	...	3,455	521	264	2,647	1	10	12	...	1	...
Farukhabad	26	2,515	1,551	...	4,092	391	544	3,123	5	15	14	...	16	·81
Mainpuri	22	1,157	1,587	31	2,797	322	254	2,152	35	20	14	...	8	...
Etáwah	34	1,394	1,117	19	2,564	243	405	1,896	2	7	11	...	7	·96
Cawnpore	14	2,778	4,866	2	7,660	212	1,092	6,325	12	11	8	...	...	·77
Fatehpur	13	1,683	1,892	7	3,595	209	426	2,917	6	19	18	6	...	·85
Bánda	11	2,126	2,721	...	4,858	202	1,155	3,459	11	15	16	4	...	·73
Hamirpur	1	1,071	907	45	2,024	277	153	1,570	3	4	17	98	1	·85
Allahabad	38	3,550	2,946	3	6,537	992	732	4,783	6	14	10	13	...	·76
Gorakhpur	45	3,741	2,836	...	6,622	657	1,101	4,824	5	20	15	13	17	·85
Basti	24	1,866	1,322	32	3,244	563	595	2,039	19	2	26	21	...	·57
Azamgarh	24	1,782	1,020	34	2,860	64	688	2,081	1	11	15	58	9	·78
Benares	35	4,846	2,452	48	7,381	1,634	640	5,079	4	12	12	...	...	·76
Jaunpur	34	919	2,140	10	3,103	842	572	1,676	2	1	10	...	13	·70
Mirzapur	57	2,287	1,683	4	4,031	429	898	2,641	1	31	31	226	4	·68
Gházipur	49	2,669	1,445	5	4,168	401	530	3,199	2	12	24	...	...	...
Kumaun	10	1 048	603	22	1,681	244	128	1,272	19	1	17	2	...	84
Garhwál	1	168	259	...	428	90	88	252	1	...	2	...	...	·100
Tarái	...	224	339	...	563	37	72	445	9	...	...	...	...	...
Jhánsi	5	1,706	648	4	2,363	313	114	1,918	6	2	10	...	2	·62
Jalaun	9	871	768	9	1,657	201	131	1,311	3	1	10	...	...	...
Lalitpur	4	693	452	9	1,158	217	72	845	12	12	...	3	1	...
Total	768	69,650	61,731	327	1,32,476	17,061	18,138	96,199	237	394	447	1,283	93	·75

No. 3.—Statement showing the degrees of punishment inflicted by the Magisterial Courts of the North-Western Provinces, during the year 1880.

District.	Number of persons punished.												
	Fined.	Imprisoned.	Flogged.		Ordered to find security for good behaviour.	Ordered to find security to keep the peace.	Ordered to enter into recognizance.	Ordered to maintain wife and children.	Ordered to refrain from taking possession of land and water.	Imprisoned and fined.	Imprisoned and flogged.	Fined and flogged.	Total punishments ordered.
			Juveniles.	Adults.									
Sahárunpur ...	1,355	310	36	96	18	8	133	3	4	36	21	...	2,020
Muzaffarnagar ...	1,581	398	29	98	32	...	27	...	...	42	8	...	2,215
Dehra Dún ...	1,033	184	2	94	14	12	...	2	...	7	15	...	1,363
Meerut ...	2,894	616	56	114	139	37	80	...	...	116	40	...	4,092
Bulandshahr ...	2,143	695	79	71	21	...	47	4	27	86	17	4	3,194
Aligarh ...	1,941	749	28	193	88	3	20	...	...	88	48	...	3,153
Etah ...	1,348	897	44	217	28	63	1	...	...	84	50	...	2,732
Moradabad ...	2,312	1,277	98	202	38	5	99	...	...	132	37	...	4,200
Bijnor ...	969	345	29	68	24	18	26	...	...	48	10	...	1,546
Bareilly ...	1,928	1,415	98	431	131	29	145	4	...	160	39	...	4,380
Budaun ...	930	652	41	361	37	18	340	4	18	71	7	...	2,479
Sháhjahánpur ...	1,412	1,172	44	260	16	99	50	1	...	114	15	...	3,183
Agra ...	3,038	1,073	29	268	90	19	63	10	6	94	26	...	4,716
Muttra ...	1,505	706	66	139	32	1	17	...	...	68	32	6	2,572
Farukhabad ...	1,563	953	27	198	13	9	12	3	...	117	49	...	2,944
Mainpuri ...	1,402	505	20	40	19	16	13	...	...	71	13	...	2,099
Etáwah ...	1,053	481	22	139	13	12	4	...	...	118	12	...	1,854
Cawnpore ...	4,796	728	65	300	38	2	106	...	...	113	38	...	6,186
Fatehpur ...	3,168	434	30	94	36	...	329	...	...	190	28	...	2,820
Bánda ...	2,096	640	28	118	9	122	187	7	83	181	14	...	3,485
Hamírpur ...	881	383	36	131	25	27	39	1	1	59	18	...	1,601
Allahabad ...	3,168	1,039	62	225	53	19	55	...	...	108	16	...	4,745
Gorakhpur ...	2,715	641	81	758	137	42	210	...	...	161	52	...	4,797
Basti ...	963	825	5	43	27	16	8	6	...	73	16	...	1,982
Azamgarh ...	1,174	532	21	119	25	19	42	...	...	65	20	...	2,017
Benares ...	3,424	978	50	126	21	18	33	...	...	257	47	2	4,956
Jaunpur ...	1,286	388	14	94	10	10	27	...	4	82	10	...	1,925
Mirzapur ...	1,428	680	28	90	34	25	168	2	...	40	23	...	2,518
Gházipur ...	2,134	509	39	207	28	66	63	...	...	123	35	...	3,204
Kumaun ...	909	210	15	32	9	18	4	...	...	46	4	...	1,247
Garhwál ...	188	32	4	3	7	10	...	...	...	4	...	...	248
Tarái ...	300	87	6	10	25	4	13	...	...	...	...	...	445
Jhánsi ...	1,299	389	1	88	3	8	61	...	...	32	6	...	1,887
Jalaun ...	692	278	20	125	9	...	88	1	...	59	16	...	1,288
Lalitpur ...	437	281	20	76	6	1	2	...	...	10	9	1	843
Total ...	59,465	21,482	1,273	5,628	1,255	756	2,512	48	143	3,055	795	13	96,425

No. 3.—Statement showing the degrees of punishment inflicted by the Magisterial

District.	DETAIL OF SENTENCE								
	FINED.								
	Not exceeding Rs. 10.	Not exceeding Rs. 50.	Not exceeding Rs. 100.	Not exceeding Rs. 500.	Not exceeding Rs. 1,000.	Total number of fines.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid to injured parties in compensation or amend.
Saháranpur	1,180	201	10	...	...	1,391	6,809	6,382	461
Muzaffarnagar	1,479	143	4	...	...	1,626	5,163	4,626	356
Dehra Dún	992	42	7	1	...	1,042	4,236	3,732	296
Meerut	2,140	219	...	...	...	2,359	24,037	16,896	481
Bulandshahr	1,959	248	21	1	...	2,229	10,380	6,864	891
Aligarh	1,736	283	9	1	...	2,029	9,443	8,605	406
Etah	1,287	138	5	2	...	1,432	9,449	8,842	22
Moradabad	2,312	119	12	1	...	2,444	8,943	7,758	369
Bijnor	875	131	11	...	...	1,017	6,697	6,143	86
Bareilly	1,683	359	44	2	...	2,088	16,800	10,764	807
Budaun	745	248	8	...	...	1,001	6,202	5,788	568
Sháhjahánpur	1,407	113	4	2	...	1,526	6,889	4,678	850
Agra	2,272	787	73	...	...	3,132	11,948	9,628	670
Muttra	1,506	61	6	...	...	1,573	5,299	4,521	177
Farukhabad	1,488	189	3	...	...	1,680	8,046	7,634	407
Mainpuri	1,343	121	8	1	...	1,473	8,048	6,093	99
Etáwah	1,021	143	6	1	...	1,171	8,023	6,683	1,529
Cawnpore	4,687	197	12	13	...	4,909	19,310	15,472	816
Fatehpur	1,708	153	3	5	...	1,869	9,107	7,886	1,302
Bánda	1,849	416	11	...	...	2,276	12,298	11,646	1,225
Hamírpur	880	57	2	1	...	940	4,008	3,868	204
Allahabad	3,111	145	7	9	4	3,276	16,610	14,854	629
Gorakhpur	2,293	557	18	9	...	2,877	27,139	24,105	1,813
Basti	893	108	24	11	...	1,036	10,648	9,730	456
Azamgarh	1,161	77	1	...	...	1,239	5,051	4,403	249
Benares	3,293	369	19	6	...	3,687	19,171	17,122	756
Jaunpur	1,187	164	10	4	3	1,368	12,544	9,419	585
Mirzapur	1,118	345	4	1	...	1,468	7,285	6,768	402
Gházipur	1,951	293	11	2	...	2,257	12,087	10,070	498
Kumaun	854	76	21	3	...	954	5,760	4,139	654
Garhwál	163	28	...	...	...	191	1,346	1,295	534
Tarái	287	13	...	...	...	300	1,406	1,406	194
Jhánsi	1,292	34	4	1	...	1,331	3,883	2,964	290
Jalaun	589	159	3	...	...	751	4,090	3,813	169
Lalitpur	419	28	1	...	...	448	1,640	1,397	1
Total ...	53,160	6,764	382	77	7	60,390	3,29,865	2,75,994	19,225

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NUMBER OF PERSONS.												
IMPRISONED.												
Not exceeding												
15 days.		6 months.		2 years.		7 years.		Total.		Average number of stripes.	Highest number of stripes in any case.	Persons imprisoned in default of security.
Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Rigorous above 7 years.	Rigorous.	Simple.			
30	17	293	3	114	...	...	...	347	20	19	30	13
48	...	171	21	207	...	1	...	427	21	15	30	29
32	1	99	1	73	...	...	...	204	2	15	30	13
84	45	368	21	254	...	...	...	706	66	20	30	87
149	34	369	7	239	...	...	...	757	41	16	30	...
93	19	536	6	226	...	...	...	855	25	15	30	81
132	7	538	9	343	2	...	...	1,013	18	15	30	30
248	24	826	30	355	...	...	...	1,429	54	16	30	38
29	9	223	5	163	2	...	...	415	16	17	30	24
185	12	807	42	611	...	...	...	1,603	54	16	30	112
50	29	390	11	250	...	...	...	690	40	18	30	33
250	36	687	9	320	...	...	...	1,257	45	18	30	38
169	26	559	23	405	11	...	...	1,133	60	16	30	70
82	5	443	17	269	...	...	...	794	22	19	30	26
312	18	582	18	253	1	...	...	1,147	37	18	30	22
87	7	296	18	194	...	...	...	577	25	20	30	13
91	7	353	22	150	...	...	...	594	29	16	30	11
116	16	513	29	242	1	...	...	871	46	15	30	37
141	17	354	23	140	...	5	...	640	40	17	30	25
206	28	501	5	95	...	...	...	802	33	12	30	10
80	12	209	24	135	...	...	...	424	36	15	30	19
121	42	718	35	262	1	...	...	1,101	78	16	30	48
65	57	431	45	262	...	...	...	758	102	13	30	129
169	73	494	13	167	...	...	...	830	86	11	30	26
166	78	277	18	98	...	...	...	541	96	14	30	14
154	20	740	22	336	3	7	...	1,237	45	16	30	25
74	31	289	34	102	...	...	...	415	65	15	30	19
52	9	501	37	146	...	...	...	699	46	14	30	118
44	26	384	27	217	3	...	...	645	56	17	30	18
16	1	114	6	127	...	...	...	257	7	17	30	6
3	...	23	...	10	...	...	...	36	...	10	30	2
11	1	33	1	40	...	...	...	84	2	12	30	18
68	35	209	12	99	...	8	...	379	47	18	30	2
39	9	192	17	96	...	9	...	336	26	15	30	9
43	11	125	19	89	...	13	...	270	30	11	30	...
3,634	762	13,507	630	7,089	24	43	...	24,273	1,416	16	30	1,165

No. 4.—Statement showing the number of witnesses who attended the Magisterial Courts of the North-Western Provinces during the year 1880, *and the period of their detention.*

District.	Number of witnesses who attended.	*Number of witnesses detained.*			*Percentage of witnesses detained.*		
		Above one day.	Above three days.	Above seven days.	Above one day.	Above three days.	Above seven days.
Sahárunpur	5,852	337	...	...	5	...	...
Muzaffarnagar ...	5,613	338	18	...	6	...	...
Dehra Dún	3,312	121	...	...	3	...	...
Meerut	10,134	960	123	...	12	...	...
Bulandshahr	8,779	927	23	...	11	...	...
Aligarh	9,652	555	31	...	5	3	...
Etah	9,689	1	...	...	...	...	...
Moradabad	14,685	691	90	...	4	...	...
Bijnor	8,666	49	...	...	...	...	...
Bareilly	19,709	1,282	14	...	15	...	...
Budaun	7,993	313	...	...	4	...	...
Sháhjahánpur ...	10,822	396	16	...	3	...	...
Agra	13,110	462	...	...	3	...	...
Muttra	6,023	58	...	...	...	...	...
Farukhabad	9,890	616	...	...	6	...	...
Mainpuri	7,829	557	12	...	7	...	...
Etáwah	5,988	271	30	4	4	½	...
Cawnpore	9,181	101	...	...	1	...	...
Fatehpur	7,572	128	3	...	2	...	...
Bánda	10,577	712	20	...	7	2	...
Hamírpur	5,862	129	5	...	2	...	...
Allahabad	16,150	713	54	...	4	...	...
Gorakhpur	18,605	842	54	...	4	...	...
Basti	8,331	157	7	...	...	...	...
Azamgarh	7,382	690	...	...	10	...	...
Benares	13,355	181	4	...	1	...	...
Jaunpur	7,221	693	21	...	9	...	...
Mirzapur	6,663	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ghazípur	12,627	1,465	22	...	25	...	...
Kumaun	1,900	14	...	...	...	...	...
Garhwál	685	...	...	...	...	...	...
Taráí	1,028	152	...	...	14	...	...
Jhánsi	3,388	205	...	...	6	...	...
Jalaun	3,039	67	...	...	...	...	...
Lalitpur	2,336	31	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	2,94,248	14,214	547	4	5	½	...

No. 5.—Statement showing the results of appeals from the orders of Assistants, preferred to Magistrates of districts in the North-Western Provinces during the year 1880.

District.	Number of appellants or persons applying for revision.	Number of persons.					Remarks.
		Appeals or applications rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences reversed or modified.	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending.	
Sahárunpur ...	55	15	25	13	...	2	
Muzaffarnagar ...	42	10	15	14	3	...	
Dehra Dún ...	6	...	2	4	...	...	
Meerut ...	116	3	75	36	2	...	
Bulandshahr ...	97	6	54	36	...	1	
Aligarh ...	203	7	100	82	11	3	
Etah ...	28	2	18	8	...	...	
Moradabad ...	186	32	48	92	...	14	
Bijnor ...	124	8	54	60	...	2	
Bareilly ...	79	27	27	22	2	1	
Budaun ...	52	32	8	9	3	...	
Sháhjahánpur ...	115	63	25	25	1	...	1 case referred.
Agra ...	117	32	49	34	2	...	
Muttra ...	115	7	71	35	2	...	
Farukhabad ...	102	16	46	36	...	1	3 cases do.
Mainpuri ...	43	...	29	12	...	2	
Etáwah ...	16	4	7	4	...	1	
Cawnpore ...	47	5	29	13	...	...	
Fatehpur ...	90	47	9	34	...	...	
Bánda ...	78	9	19	26	24	...	
Hamírpur ...	41	14	12	15	...	...	
Allahabad ...	116	44	25	34	9	4	
Gorakhpur ...	284	12	197	64	7	4	
Basti ...	166	66	44	45	7	4	
Azamgarh ...	172	20	75	69	3	4	1 case do.
Benares ...	359	2	247	81	22	7	
Jaunpur ...	143	17	72	48	3	3	
Mirzapur ...	34	...	19	7	6	1	1 do. do.
Gházipur ...	194	20	128	33	3	5	5 cases do.
Kumaun ...	17	2	10	5	...	...	
Garhwál ...	44	4	23	6	...	11	
Tarái ...	4	2	1	1	...	...	
Jhánsi ...	21	1	10	10	...	...	
Jalaun ...	17	...	8	9	...	...	
Lalitpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total ...	3,323	529	1,581	1,022	110	70	11 do. do.

No. 6.—Statement showing the average number of days during which each case lasted in the Magisterial Courts of the North-Western Provinces, during the years 1879 *and* 1880.

District.	Average duration of cases in Magisterial Courts.					
	For the year 1879.			*For the year* 1880.		
	Years.	Months.	Days.	Years.	Months.	Days.
Sahâranpur ...	...	...	6	...	...	5
Muzaffarnagar ...	...	...	10	...	...	9
Dehra Dún ...	...	...	1	...	...	2
Meerut ...	...	...	5	...	...	4
Bulandshahr ...	...	...	8	...	...	7
Aligarh ...	...	...	7	...	...	5
Etah ...	...	...	7	...	...	4
Moradabad ...	...	...	8	...	...	8
Bijnor ...	...	...	8	...	...	4
Bareilly ...	...	...	8	...	...	9
Budaun ...	...	...	6	...	...	6
Shâhjahânpur ...	...	...	4	...	...	3
Agra ...	...	...	5	...	...	4
Muttra ...	...	...	5	...	...	6
Farukhabad ...	...	...	7	...	...	7
Mainpuri ...	...	...	8	...	...	6
Etâwah ...	...	...	6	...	...	6
Cawnpore ...	...	...	4	...	...	4
Fatehpur ...	...	...	8	...	...	10
Bánda ...	...	...	4	...	...	4
Hamírpur ...	...	...	5	...	...	4
Allahabad ...	...	...	5	...	...	6
Gorakhpur ...	...	...	8	...	...	8
Basti ...	...	...	7	...	...	8
Azamgarh ...	...	...	8	...	...	8
Benares ...	...	...	6	...	...	5
Jaunpur ...	...	...	5	...	...	4
Mirzapur ...	...	...	7	...	...	7
Ghâzipur ...	...	...	6	...	...	9
Kumaun ...	...	...	7	...	...	8
Garhwal ...	...	...	9	...	...	8
Tarái ...	...	...	3	...	...	2
Jhánsi ...	...	...	4	...	...	6
Jalaun ...	...	...	6	...	...	6
Lalitpur ...	...	...	2	...	...	2
Total ...	...	...	6	...	...	6

No. 7.—Statement showing the result of appeals to Courts of Session during the year 1880.

District.	Number of appellants or persons applying for revision.	*Number of persons.*					Remarks.
		Appeals or applications rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences reversed or modified.	Returned for new trial or further investigation.	Pending.	
Saháranpur	108	36	49	13	...	4	6 cases referred to High Court.
Muzaffarnagar	89	12	45	17	1	10	4 Ditto ditto.
Dehra Dún	28	11	8	6	1	...	2 Ditto ditto.
Meerut	131	71	16	43	1	...	
Bulandshahr	75	43	18	13	1	...	
Aligarh	99	38	30	25	...	6	
Etah	87	21	33	24	...	9	
Moradabad	170	36	76	58	...	...	
Bijnor	89	21	44	21	1	2	
Bareilly	144	15	83	38	...	5	3 Ditto ditto.
Budaun	49	18	14	10	...	4	3 transferred.
Sháhjahánpur	145	22	68	54	...	...	1 referred to High Court.
Agra	125	1	98	13	...	5	8 Ditto ditto.
Muttra	69	...	49	16	...	4	
Farukhabad	69	11	47	11	...	...	
Mainpuri	66	34	12	14	...	4	2 Ditto ditto.
Etáwah	41	4	21	7	...	9	
Cawnpore	269	87	78	45	29	21	9 Ditto ditto.
Fatehpur	74	35	19	10	1	6	3 Ditto ditto.
Bánda	93	37	22	25	2	6	1 Ditto ditto.
Hamírpur	61	18	14	25	3	1	
Allahabad	135	21	83	27	...	4	
Gorakhpur	158	65	48	25	4	1	15 Ditto ditto.
Basti	175	65	48	53	...	8	1 Ditto ditto.
Azamgarh	41	19	16	4	...	1	1 Ditto ditto.
Benares	355	42	203	85	4	...	17 Ditto ditto 4 transferred.
Jaunpur	81	13	39	18	...	11	
Mirzapur	97	58	24	12	...	...	3 Ditto ditto.
Gházipur	120	7	72	38	...	...	3 Ditto ditto.
Kumaun	124	35	50	31	...	8	
Garhwál	17	8	7	1	...	1	
Tarái	14	4	4	5	...	1	
Jhánsi	31	3	20	6	...	2	
Jalaun	53	23	10	16	...	4	
Lalitpur	106	1	93	12	...	...	
Total ...	3,583	935	1,561	821	48	137	79 cases referred to High Court. 7 transferred.

No. 8.—Statement showing the result of commitments to Courts of Session during the year 1880.

District.	Number of persons committed, including those awaiting trial at the end of the previous year.	*Persons disposed of.*		Persons remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.	Percentage of persons convicted to total number disposed of.
		Convicted, including those whose sentences were referred for confirmation to the High Court.	Acquitted.		
Saháranpur	68	45	16	7	·73
Muzaffarnagar	44	27	16	1	·63
Dehra Dún	6	6	...	...	·100
Meerut	(a) 89	52	20	3	·72
Bulandshahr	53	42	6	5	·87
Aligarh	77	59	13	5	·82
Etah	(b) 51	40	8	2	·83
Moradabad	154	88	57	9	·60
Bijnor	33	13	10	10	·57
Bareilly	168	108	41	19	·72
Budaun	69	40	19	10	·68
Sháhjahánpur	(c) 178	130	37	8	·78
Agra	88	60	21	7	·74
Muttra	82	66	10	6	·87
Farukhabad	119	93	15	11	·86
Mainpuri	66	35	26	5	·57
Etáwah	82	72	6	4	·92
Cawnpore	135	106	25	4	·80
Fatehpur	(d) 88	73	13	1	·85
Bánda	85	61	17	7	·78
Hamírpur	60	50	9	1	·84
Allahabad	(e) 188	137	38	1	·78
Gorakhpur	(f) 70	48	26	1	·65
Basti	61	34	27	...	·56
Azamgarh	67	34	20	13	·55
Benares	107	59	17	31	·77
Jaunpur	42	27	14	1	·66
Mirzapur	126	85	40	1	·68
Gházipur	86	74	12	...	·86
Kumaun	25	21	4	...	·84
Garhwál	4	3	1	...	·75
Tarái	...	...	...	...	...
Jhánsi	8	5	3	...	·62
Jalaun	12	8	4	...	·66
Lalitpur	10	1	4	5	·20
Total	2,610	1,802	595	178	·75

(a) 14 transferred.
(b) 1 died.

(c) 3 transferred.
(d) 1 escaped.

(e) 7 died, escaped or were transferred, the trial of 2 was suspended under section 459, Criminal Procedure Code, and 3 were one and the same accused person.
(f) 1 died and 3 transferred.

Total 35 persons.

No. 9.—Statement showing the amount of business disposed of by Sessions Judges during the year 1880.

Names of Sessions Judges and Districts.		COMMITMENTS. Number of persons. Committed, including those awaiting trial at the end of last year.	Convicted and sentenced.	Sentenced to death and referred for confirmation.	Acquitted.	Remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.	APPEALS. Number of persons. Number of appellants.	Appeals rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences modified.	Sentences reversed.	Remaining undisposed of at the end of the year.
Saháranpur	H. Chase, Esq.	36	24	...	5	...	(1) 62	9	34	5	10	...
	R. M. King, Esq.	82	49	5	27	8	(2) 163	50	68	4	17	14
Meerut	H. G. Keene, Esq.	(a) 89	51	1	20	3	(3) 131	71	16	19	24	...
Bulandshahr		53	42	...	6	5	(4) 75	43	18	12	1	...
Aligarh	R. G. Currie, Esq.	77	20	1	3	5	99	4	7	4	4	...
	G. L. Lang, Esq.		30	1	4			18	9	...	4	...
	C. W. Moore, Esq.		7	...	6			16	14	4	9	6
Etah	R. G. Currie, Esq.	14	10	2	2	...	25	5	14	5	1	...
	G. L. Lang, Esq.	29	23	...	6	...	26	9	12	1	4	...
	C. W. Moore, Esq.	(b) 8	5	...	...	2	36	7	7	3	10	9
Moradabad	W. Lane, Esq.	20	17	2	1	...	11	2	7	1	1	...
	W. Young, Esq.	1	1	...	...	...	5	...	2	1	2	...
	C. J. Daniell, Esq.	133	66	2	56	9	154	34	67	41	12	...
Bijnor	W. Lane, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	(5) 13	10	1	1	...	...
	W. Young, Esq.	10	1	...	9	...	2	...	2	...	...	...
	C. J. Daniell, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	11	1	3	2	5	...
	J. J. D. LaTouche, Esq	3	3	...	...	...	16	4	8	4	...	...
	W. H. Hudson, Esq.,	20	9	...	1	10	47	6	30	9	...	2
Bareilly	W. Tyrrell, Esq.	168	35	1	8	...	(6) 144	5	19	8	2	...
	W. Young, Esq.		70	2	33	19		10	64	15	13	5
Budaun	W. Tyrrell, Esq.	17	10	...	7	...	(7) 7	1	2	...	...	...
	W. Young, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	1	...
	J. J. D. LaTouche, Esq	18	15	...	3	...	6	...	5	1	...	...
	W. H. Hudson, Esq.,	34	15	...	9	10	36	17	7	2	6	4
Shábjahánpur	W. Duthoit, Esq	(c) 178	125	5	37	8	(8) 145	22	68	33	21	...
Agra	W. C. Turner, Esq.	170	120	6	31	13	(9) 194	1	147	19	10	9
Farukhabad	R. F. Saunders, Esq.	22	4	...	2	...	7	2	4	1	...	...
	H. A. Harrison, Esq.,	97	36	3	13	11	62	9	43	4	6	...
Mainpuri	F. E. Elliot, Esq.	148	98	9	32	9	(10) 107	38	33	4	17	13
Cawnpore	J. H. Prinsep, Esq.	(d) 223	166	18	38	5	(11) 343	122	97	22	33	27
Bánda	H. C. Barstow, Esq.	31	28	...	3	...	(12) 22	12	5	...	4	...
	G. E. Knox, Esq.	114	80	3	23	8	(13) 132	43	31	21	25	7
Allahabad	H. Lushington, Esq.,	(e) 65	47	...	6	...	43	8	25	5	5	...
	W. Tyrrell, Esq.	123	88	2	32	1	92	13	58	5	12	4
Gorakhpur	R. G. Currie, Esq.	24	...	...	...	...	5	1	3	1	...	...
	D. M. Gardner, Esq.,	(f) 11	6	...	10	...	(14) 39	14	8	7	6	...
	W. Kaye, Esq.	100	62	2	43	...	(15) 209	89	61	14	31	...
	R. F. Saunders, Esq.,	5	11	1	...	1	(16) 80	26	24	16	3	9
Azamgarh	H. D. Willock, Esq.	67	34	...	20	13	(17) 41	19	16	1	3	1
Benares	M. Brodhurst, Esq.	107	58	1	17	31	(18) 355	42	203	38	47	...
Jaunpur	M. Brodhurst, Esq	...	...	...	...	...	2	..	2	...	...	...
	M. S. Howell, Esq.	42	27	...	14	1	79	13	37	2	16	11
Mirzapur	H. A. Harrison, Esq.,	7	7	...	...	...	7	...	5	...	2	...
	C. J. Daniell, Esq.	27	22	...	5	...	25	21	3	...	1	...
	S. M. Moens, Esq.	92	56	...	35	1	(19) 65	37	16	1	8	...
Gházipur	J. W. Power, Esq.	86	74	...	12	...	(20) 120	7	72	6	32	...
Kumaun	Major-General the Hon'ble Sir Henry Ramsay, C.B., K.C.S.I.	29	21	3	5	...	155	47	61	10	27	10
Jhánsi	J. W. Quinton, Esq.	18	8	1	9	...	72	19	38	7	8	...
	G. Adams, Esq.	1	...	1	...	...	105	8	85	8	4	...
	W. Kaye, Esq.	11	4	...	2	5	13	...	...	7	...	6
	Total	2,610	1,735	67	595	178	3,538	935	1,561	374	447	137

Commitments.

(a) 14 transferred.
(b) 1 died.
(c) 3 transferred.
(d) 1 escaped.
(e) 7 died, escaped, transferred: the trial of 2 others was suspended under section 459, Criminal Procedure Code, and 3 were one and the same accused person.
(f) 1 died and 3 transferred.

Total ... 35

Appeals.

(1)	1 returned for new trial and	3	referred to High Court.		
(2)	1	ditto	9	ditto.	
(3)	1	ditto			
(4)	1	ditto			
(5)	1	ditto			
(6)		...	3	ditto.	
(7)		...		...	3 transferred.
(8)		...	1	ditto.	
(9)		...	8	ditto.	
(10)		...	2	ditto.	
(11)	30	ditto	12	ditto.	
(12)	1	ditto			
(13)	4	ditto	1	ditto.	
(14)		...	4	ditto.	
(15)	4	ditto	10	ditto.	
(16)		...	2	ditto.	
(17)		...	1	ditto.	
(18)	4	ditto	17	ditto.	4 ditto.
(19)		...	3	ditto.	
(20)		..	3	ditto.	
Total ...	48	ditto	79	ditto.	7 ditto.

No. 10 —Statement showing degrees of punishments inflicted by Courts of Session during the year 1880.

District.	PERSONS SENTENCED TO — Death.	Transportation — For life.	Transportation — For a term.	Penal servitude.	Imprisonment — Rigorous — With solitary confinement.	Imprisonment — Rigorous — Without solitary confinement.	Imprisonment — Simple.	Forfeiture of property.	Fine — With imprisonment.	Fine — Without imprisonment.	Whipping — In addition to other punishment.	Whipping — In lieu of other punishment.	PERSONS ORDERED TO FIND OR GIVE — Security to keep the peace.	Recognizance.	Security for good behaviour.
Saháranpur ...	4	7	3	...	...	30	...	...	11	...	1	1	...	...	...
Muzaffarnagar ...	1	2	2	...	1	21	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dehra Dún ...	...	1	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...
Meerut ...	1	6	...	...	...	43	1	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...
Bulandshahr ...	...	4	...	...	...	38	...	...	1	1	2	...	...	...	...
Aligarh ...	2	3	10	...	...	54	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Etah ...	2	...	5	...	...	35	...	...	1	1	...	1	...	...	...
Moradabad ...	4	7	8	...	4	62	1	...	2	1	...	...	...	...	1
Bijnor ...	...	1	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...
Bareilly ...	...	3	4	...	...	68	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pilibhit ...	3	8	2	...	...	17	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...
Budaun ...	...	6	...	...	...	21	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...
Sháhjahánpur ...	5	12	4	...	...	102	...	...	1	6	...	3	...	...	...
Agra ...	4	2	...	...	...	53	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Muttra ...	2	1	...	...	...	61	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Farukhabad ...	3	9	6	...	22	49	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...
Mainpuri ...	4	6	...	...	...	24	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Etáwah ...	5	3	...	...	...	62	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cawnpore ...	6	8	2	...	...	83	6	...	3	10	8	...	...	...	...
Fatehpur ...	7	8	...	...	...	54	...	...	1	4	...	...	...	...	...
Bánda ...	1	2	3	...	1	51	1	...	17	1	1	...	...	...	...
Hamírpur ...	2	3	3	...	...	39	...	...	5	1	2	1	...	...	...
Allahabad ...	2	3	...	...	...	125	1	...	8	5	2	...	...	...	...
Gorakhpur ...	2	6	1	...	...	38	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...
Basti ...	1	...	1	...	...	28	...	...	...	1	1	3	...	...	...
Azamgarh ...	...	1	3	...	...	28	...	...	2	...	...	1	...	...	...
Benares ...	1	4	10	...	5	35	...	...	8	...	...	3	...	...	...
Jaunpur ...	...	...	2	...	...	24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Mirzapur ...	...	...	3	...	...	78	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gházipur ...	...	...	1	...	...	70	...	...	4	...	...	2	...	...	...
Kumaun ...	...	1	...	...	...	21	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Garhwál ...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tarái ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jhánsi ...	2	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jalaun ...	...	1	1	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lalitpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	67	120	74	...	33	1,436	16	...	78	32	28	24	...	...	1

District.	DETAIL OF PUNISHMENTS — Fine — Rs. 10 and under.	Rs. 50 and under.	Rs. 100 and under.	Rs. 500 and under.	Rs. 1,000 and under.	Above Rs. 1,000.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	Imprisonment — 15 days — Rigorous.	15 days — Simple.	6 months — Rigorous.	6 months — Simple.	2 years — Rigorous.	2 years — Simple.	Not exceeding 7 years — Rigorous.	Not exceeding 7 years — Simple.	Above 7 years — Rigorous.	Above 7 years — Simple.	Whipped — 10 stripes and under.	20 stripes and under.	30 stripes and under.
Saháranpur ...	1	8	2	...	...	...	385	110	10	...	...	9	...	23	...	16	...	...	...	...	...	2
Muzaffarnagar ...	...	2	...	...	1	...	1,075	51	200	...	...	1	...	12	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	1
Dehra Dún ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Meerut ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	100	50	50	1	1	3	...	16	...	23	...	3	...	1	1	...
Bulandshahr ...	...	1	...	...	1	...	1,050	46	46	...	...	1	...	17	...	19	...	4	...	1	...	1
Aligarh ...	...	1	...	...	1	...	1,050	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	...	33	...	6	...	...	...	...
Etah ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	800	800	...	...	...	1	...	20	...	11	...	4	...	...	...	1
Moradabad ...	...	1	2	...	...	...	225	206	...	3	1	9	...	18	...	34	...	4	...	...	...	...
Bijnor ...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	2	...	5	...	...	...	...	2	...
Bareilly ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	100	...	...	...	...	17	...	10	...	38	...	4	...	...	...	...
Pilibhit ...	...	...	2	...	...	...	200	200	...	...	...	1	...	9	...	9	...	...	...	...	1	...
Budaun ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	4	...	4	...	6	...	1	1	1
Sháhjahánpur ...	3	3	...	1	...	...	670	170	660	...	...	16	...	12	...	71	...	4	...	...	1	2
Agra ...	...	...	...	2	...	...	650	150	...	...	...	3	...	9	...	40	...	3	...	...	...	...
Muttra ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	15	...	49	...	6	...	...	...	...
Farukhabad ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	18	...	51	...	...	...	...	1	...
Mainpuri ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	8	...	9	...	7	...	...	...	1
Etáwah ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	8	...	49	...	1	...	...	...	...
Cawnpore ...	...	12	...	...	...	1	2,500	103	103	...	...	2	6	46	...	44	...	2	...	2	3	3
Fatehpur ...	...	4	...	...	...	...	250	78	78	...	...	12	...	12	...	23	...	8	...	...	...	...
Bánda ...	...	10	6	...	1	...	2,113	1,447	...	...	...	3	...	23	...	30	1	14	...	...	...	1
Hamírpur ...	1	2	3	...	...	...	360	146	100	...	...	5	...	11	...	20	...	10	...	...	...	2
Allahabad ...	...	1	3	8	1	...	2,545	993	398	...	...	25	...	26	1	78	...	6	...	...	2	...
Gorakhpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	11	...	25	...	2	...	...	2	2
Basti ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	...	...	...	2	...	5	...	18	...	4	...	...	...	4
Azamgarh ...	...	1	1	...	...	...	150	5	...	...	...	1	...	3	...	24	...	2	...	...	1	...
Benares ...	6	1	...	1	...	...	368	100	100	...	...	5	...	13	...	23	...	2	...	...	...	3
Jaunpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	17	...	3	...	...	...	...
Mirzapur ...	...	2	1	...	...	...	147	60	33	...	...	13	1	8	2	48	...	2	...	...	...	...
Gházipur ...	...	...	5	1	...	...	1,000	745	...	...	...	8	...	30	...	27	...	9	...	...	1	1
Kumaun ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	17	...	...	...	...	...	1
Garhwál ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tarái ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jhánsi ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jalaun ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	4	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lalitpur ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	13	49	27	15	5	1	15,741	5,403	1,778	4	2	158	10	421	3	871	1	116	...	5	16	26

No. 11.—*Statement showing particulars of trials held by Courts of Sessions with aid of assessors during the year* 1880.

Name of district.	Average number of assessors in each case.	Number of cases tried with assessors.	Number of persons of classes employed as assessors.							Number of cases in which Judge agreed with assessors.	Number of cases in which Judge differed from assessors.	Number of persons fined for non-attendance.	Amount of fines imposed.	Remarks.
			Pleaders.	Bankers or traders.	Engaged in service.	Agriculturists.	Landholders.	Other classes.	Total.					
Saháranpur	3	33	1	58	...	...	40	...	99	26	7	4	6	
Muzaffarnagar	3	20	2	32	...	...	26	...	60	17	3	...	...	
Debra Dún	3	5	1	10	...	...	4	...	15	5	...	...	...	
Meerut	3	52	20	50	40	2	22	10	144	48	4	2	10	
Bulandshahr	3	28	...	12	24	8	24	12	80	24	4	...	...	
Aligarh	3	39	7	17	4	...	59	1	88	36	3	...	...	
Etah	2	20	1	12	14	...	27	...	54	19	1	...	...	
Moradabad	3	57	1	71	6	...	84	...	162	35	22	...	...	
Bijnor	3	14	...	7	1	...	34	...	42	10	4	...	...	
Bareilly	3	46	1	51	9	...	77	...	138	41	5	6	11	
Pilibhit	3	19	...	15	...	...	42	...	57	13	6	...	...	
Budaun	3	28	...	8	...	...	84	...	92	19	9	...	...	
Sháhjahánpur	3	74	...	17	6	...	199	...	222	53	21	11	20	
Agra	3	45	23	91	4	...	15	2	135	40	5	2	60	
Muttra	3	41	...	99	19	...	2	3	123	37	4	4	166	
Farukhabad	3	49	...	25	9	...	56	57	147	44	5	...	...	
Mainpuri	3	31	...	52	...	...	41	...	93	25	6	...	...	
Etáwah	3	49	...	48	...	...	94	5	147	39	10	...	...	
Cawnpore	3	74	45	84	20	16	55	...	220	60	14	...	...	
Fatehpur	3	40	...	47	5	13	53	...	118	32	8	...	...	
Bánda	3	32	7	18	13	...	46	12	96	25	7	...	...	
Hamírpur	3	41	11	5	8	4	85	10	123	34	7	...	...	
Allahabad	3	76	...	64	21	...	107	2	194	71	5	...	...	
Gorakhpur	3	42	...	28	6	3	62	...	69	27	15	...	...	
Basti	3	34	...	1	...	...	68	...	99	30	4	...	...	
Azamgarh	3	33	...	3	...	...	96	...	99	27	6	2	30	
Benares	3	42	1	71	9	...	33	6	120	40	2	...	...	
Jaunpur	3	33	16	13	1	...	60	9	99	22	11	4	175	
Mirzapur	3	47	...	48	25	6	62	...	141	45	2	1	10	
Gházipur	3	46	...	27	12	11	109	...	159	46	...	1	20	
Kumaun	3	11	3	9	3	...	18	...	33	8	3	...	...	
Garhwál	3	2	1	1	...	...	4	...	6	2	...	...	...	
Tarai	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Jhánsi	3	4	1	6	...	...	3	1	11	2	2	1	10	
Jalaun	3	6	...	6	...	...	9	1	16	5	1	...	...	
Lalitpur	3	1	...	1	...	...	2	...	3	1	...	...	...	
Total ...	3	1,214	142	1,107	259	63	1,802	131	3,504	1,008	206	88	518	

No. 12.—*Statement showing the average number of days during which each trial and appeal lasted in Courts of Session during the year* 1880.

District.	*Trial of committed cases.*		*Appeals.*	
	Number of trials disposed of during the year 1880.	Average number of days during which each trial lasted.	Number of appeals disposed of during the year 1880.	Average number of days during which each appeal lasted.
Saháranpur	33	37	159	17
Muzaffarnagar	20			
Dehra Dún	5			
Meerut	52	20	102	4
Bulandshahr	28	26	49	6
Aligarh	39	27	54	7
Etah	20	58	58	9
Moradabad	57	47	124	15
Bijnor	14	56	66	21
Bareilly	65	30	143	17
Budaun	28	38	24	21
Sháhjahánpur	74	24	84	8
Agra	45	17	68	15
Muttra	41	22	84	29
Farukhabad	49	24	52	9
Mainpuri	31	26	42	20
Etáwah	49	51	26	20
Cawnpore	74	26	187	12
Fatehpur	40	29	42	21
Bánda	32	52	57	18
Hamirpur	41	51	41	9
Allahabad	76	26	92	15
Gorakhpur	42	27	97	6
Basti	34	62	109	10
Azamgarh	33	25	30	9
Benares	42	18	309	7
Jaunpur	33	33	50	10
Mirzapur	47	27	61	6
Gházípur	46	18	54	12
Kumaun	11	17	75	16
Garhwál	2	12	11	7
Tarai	...	...	8	17
Jhánsi	4	29	93	10
Jalaun	6			
Lalitpur	1			
Total	1,214	32	2,401	13

No. 13.—Cases on reference, appeal, and revision before the High Court of Judicature, North-Western Provinces.

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
		Result of cases referred by Courts of Session for confirmation of sentence of death.					*Number of persons whose cases were appealed.*				*Number of persons whose cases were called for under section 294, Act X. of 1872.*				*Number of persons whose cases were submitted under section 296, Act X. of 1872.*				
Judgeship.	Names of Sessions Judges.	Number of persons whose sentences were referred for confirmation.	Number of persons whose sentences were confirmed.	Number of persons whose sentences were modified.	Number of persons who were acquitted.	Total.	Number in respect to whom order was confirmed.	Number in respect to whom order was modified or further enquiry directed.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Number in respect to whom order was confirmed.	Number in respect to whom order was modified or further enquiry directed.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Number in respect to whom Court concurred with referring officer.	Number in respect to whom Court did not concur with referring officer.	Total.	Percentage of column 4 to column 3.	Percentage of columns 8, 12, and 16 to columns 11, 15, and 18.
Saháranpur	H. Chase, Esq.	2	...	1	1	2	12	4	17	33	8	1	...	9	3	1	4	...	·50
	R. M. King, Esq.	4	3	...	1	4	10	...	2	12	4	2	...	6	14	...	14	·75	·87
Meerut	H. G. Keene, Esq.	1	...	1	...	1	22	12	4	38	14	1	2	17	...	1	1	...	·64
Aligarh	R. G. Currie, Esq.	3	3	...	...	3	7	...	...	7	3	3	...	6	...	4	4	·100	·59
	C. W. Moore, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	5	1	6	...	·60
	G. L. Lang, Esq.	1	...	...	1	1	20	...	...	20	...	...	...	...	1	1	2	...	·95
Moradabad	W. Lane, Esq.	2	2	...	...	2	3	...	...	3	...	1	...	1	2	...	2	·100	·83
	R. M. King, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	·100
	W. Young, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	...
	C. J. Daniell, Esq.	1	1	...	...	1	9	2	4	15	4	...	...	4	2	5	7	·100	·58
Bareilly	W. Tyrrell, Esq.	1	1	...	...	1	13	3	2	18	4	...	...	4	...	...	...	·100	·77
	W. Young, Esq.	2	2	...	...	2	17	...	...	17	2	2	...	4	4	16	20	·100	·56
Bijnor-Budaun Sessions Division.	W. H. Hudson, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	1	5	2	5	...	7	6	2	8	...	·55
	J. J. D. LaTouche, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	2	3	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	·33
Sháhjahánpur ...	W. Duthoit, Esq.	4	4	...	...	4	18	1	2	21	5	1	...	6	9	...	9	·100	·89
Agra	W. C. Turner, Esq.	6	6	...	...	6	2	4	...	6	3	4	...	7	8	3	11	·100	·54
Farukhabad	R. Saunders, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	3	1	...	4	4	2	...	6	1	...	1	...	·73
	H. A Harrison, Esq.	3	3	...	...	3	16	1	3	20	4	1	...	5	14	3	17	·100	·81
Mainpuri	F. E. Elliot, Esq.	9	8	1	...	9	11	5	...	16	3	1	...	4	3	...	3	·89	·74
Cawnpore	J. H. Prinsep, Esq.	12	11	...	1	12	28	9	19	56	18	...	2	20	11	8	19	·92	·60

No. 13—*Cases on reference, appeal, and revision before the High Court of Judicature, North-Western Provinces.*—(concluded.)

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20
		Result of cases referred by Courts of Session for confirmation of sentence of death.					*Number of persons whose cases were appealed.*				*Number of persons whose cases were called for under section 294, Act X. of 1872.*				*Number of persons whose cases were submitted under section 296, Act X. of 1872.*				
Judgeship.	Names of Sessions Judges.	Number of persons whose sentences were referred for confirmation.	Number of persons whose sentences were confirmed.	Number of persons whose sentences were modified.	Number of persons who were acquitted.	Total.	Number in respect to whom order was confirmed.	Number in respect to whom order was modified or further enquiry directed.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Number in respect to whom order was confirmed.	Number in respect to whom order was modified or further enquiry directed.	Number acquitted.	Total.	Number in respect to whom court concurred with referring officer.	Number in respect to whom court did not concur with referring officer.	Total.	Percentage of column 4 to column 3.	Percentage of columns 8, 12, and 16 to columns 11, 15, and 18.
Bánda	D. M. Gardner, Esq.	1	1	...	...	1	17	3	4	24	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	·100	·71
	H. C. Barstow, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	12	...	2	14	...	...	2	2	...	...	...	...	·86
	G. E. Knox, Esq.	3	1	1	1	3	15	1	2	18	3	...	...	3	1	8	9	·33	·90
Allahabad	H. Lushington, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	5	2	...	7	7	6	1	14	...	...	...	...	·57
	W. Tyrrell, Esq.	2	2	...	...	2	3	3	...	6	14	...	...	14	...	...	...	·100	·85
	R. G. Currie, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	·100
Gorakhpur	D. M. Gardner, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	5	...	5	...	·100
	W. Kaye, Esq.	2	2	...	...	2	11	...	1	12	7	1	1	9	10	1	11	·100	·88
	R. Saunders, Esq.	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	·100	...
Azamgarh	H. D. Willock, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	9	4	4	17	...	5	1	6	8	7	15	...	·42
Benares	M. Brodhurst, Esq.	1	...	1	...	1	29	8	1	38	6	1	...	7	21	1	22	...	·83
Jaunpur	M. S. Howell, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	5	1	1	7	1	...	...	1	6	...	6	...	·86
	J. M. C. Steinbelt, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	·100
Mirzapur	H. A. Harrison, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	·100
	S. M. Moens, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	7	...	2	...	2	8	1	9	...	·83
	C. J. Daniell, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	·100
Ghâzipur	J. W. Power, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	12	3	...	15	7	1	...	8	14	1	15	...	·87
Kumaun	Major General the Hon'ble Sir Henry Ramsay, C.B., K.C.S.I. ...	3	3	...	...	3	8	...	...	8	2	...	...	2	1	...	1	·100	·100
	J. W. Quinton, Esq.	1	1	...	...	1	8	...	1	9	1	...	...	1	18	...	18	·100	·96
Jhânsi	Major J. Liston	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	·100
	P. J. White, Esq.	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	2	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	·80
	G. Adams, Esq.	1	1	...	...	1	1	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	·100	·100
Total ...		66	*56	5	5	66	363	71	74	508	132	40	9	181	176	68	244	·85	·72

*Plus one person sentenced by the Sessions Judge of Farukhabad to transportation for life who was on appeal to the High Court sentenced to death.

No. 14.—*Statement of business disposed of in the High Court of Judicature for the North-Western Provinces in the year* 1880, *original side.*

	Cases.			Before.					
	Remaining from the year 1879.	Filed in the year 1880	Disposed of on merits	One civilian judge.	One barrister judge.	One barrister and one civilian judge.	One barrister and two civilian judges.	Otherwise disposed of.	Days of sitting.
Criminal trials	1	4	5	...	5	...	...	...	9

No. 15.—*Statement showing the nature of the penalties inflicted under the judgment of the High Court, North-Western Provinces, in the year* 1880.

Penalties. (A.)	Appellate Jurisdiction.		Original Jurisdiction.	
	1879.	1880.	1879.	1880.
Death	89	57	...	...
Transportation for life	7	5	...	...
Transportation above 7 years and not exceeding 14 years.	9	3	...	...
Imprisonment for life	...	...	...	...
Ditto above 12 years and not exceeding 21 years,	4	4	...	...
Ditto above 5 years and not exceeding 10 years,	46	13	...	1
Ditto not exceeding 5 years	124	67	4	2
The average duration of cases in the High Court was 15 days.				

Note. (A.)—This statement shows confirmations of sentences of death and penalties inflicted by the High Court in supersession of sentences of Lower Courts.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. II.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement of offences reported and persons tried, convicted, and acquitted by the Magisterial Courts for each offence, in the districts of the North-Western Provinces, in the year 1880.

Description of offence.						Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted and committed.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
I.—OFFENCES UNDER THE PENAL CODE.												
Offences against the State.	Chapter	VI.	Secs.	121 to 130	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	
Offences against the Army and Navy.	„	VII.	„	131 to 140	...	2	1	1	...	1	...	
Offences against the public tranquillity.	„	VIII.	„	143 to 145, 149 to 151, 157, 158	Unlawful assembly ...	3	46	455	121	321	...	13
			„	147, 148, 152, and 153 to 856	Rioting, &c.	4	316	2,327	404	1,884	1	38
			„	160	Affray	5	460	1,901	263	1,638	...	...
Offences by or relating to public servants	„	IX	„	161 to 169	By public servants ...	6	132	151	70	76	...	5
			„	161, 170 and 171,	Relating to public servants ...	7	74	70	28	37	4	1
Contempts of the lawful authority of public servants.	„	X.	„	172 to 190	... ...	8	2,301	5,206	1,260	3,919	3	24
False evidence and offences against public officers.	„	XI.	„	193 to 200	False evidence or subornation, &c., of public servants ...	9	401	557	214	329	2	12
			„	201 to 229	Offences against public justice ...	10	866	1,284	365	886	2	31
Offences relating to coin and Government stamps.	„	XII.	„	231 to 254	Offences relating to coins	11	160	148	44	102	1	1
			„	225 to 263	Offences relating to stamps	12	14	19	3	15	...	1
Offences relating to weights and measures.	„	XIII.	„	264 to 267	... ...	13	124	289	103	186	...	...
Offences affecting the public health, safety, convenience, decency, and morals.	„	XIV.	„	269 to 278	Offences affecting public health ...	14	152	388	84	304	...	...
			„	279 to 289	Ditto safety ...	15	262	386	76	308	...	2
			„	290 and 291	Ditto convenience ...	16	417	1,878	165	1,707	...	1
			„	292 to 294	Ditto decency and morals ...	17	18	32	2	30	...	...
			„	294A.	Keeping lottery office or publishing proposals for lottery	17a	...	...	...	...	...	...
Offences relating to religion.	„	XV.	„	295 to 298	... ...	18	58	52	31	21	...	...
			„	302 and 303	Murder	19	301	445	97	322	4	22
			„	307	Attempt at murder	20	66	72	10	61	...	1
			„	304	Culpable homicide	21	216	419	81	311	3	24
			„	304A.	Causing death by rash or negligent act ...	21a	54	88	33	54	...	1
			„	308	Attempt at culpable homicide ...	22	5	7	...	7	...	...
			„	305 and 306	Abetment of suicide	23	...	...	...	...	...	...

	„ 309 ...	Attempted suicide	24	886	723	146	573	4	5		
	„ 311 ...	Thagi, &c.	25	...	...	...	...	...	...		
	„ 312 to 316 ...	Causing miscarriage	26	28	44	27	17	...	...		
	„ 316 ...	Injury to unborn children	27	...	...	...	...	...	...		
	„ 317 ...	Exposure of infants	28	44	36	4	31	...	1		
Offences affecting the human body ...	„ 318 ...	Concealment of birth by secret disposal of dead body	29	93	95	21	73	...	1		
„ XVI	„ 325 to 331 and 333,	Hurt with aggravating circumstances ...	30	1,088	1,452	359	1,051	3	39		
	„ 323, 324, 332 and 334 to 338.	Other cases	31	38,033	12,545	5,432	7,043	9	61		
	„ 341 ...	Wrongful restraint	32	928	808	456	346	1	5		
	„ 342 to 348 ...	Wrongful confinement	33	303	239	161	75	...	3		
	„ 352 to 358 ...	Criminal force or assault	34	8,626	9,205	4,807	4,358	18	22		
	„ 364, 366 367 ...	Kidnapping or forcible abduction with aggravating circumstances ...	35	25	34	6	26	...	2		
	„ 363 365, 368, 360 ...	Other cases	36	183	280	90	165	14	11		
	„ 370, 371 ...	Slavery	37	...	...	...	...	...	...		
	„ 372, and 373 ...	Buying or selling a minor for the purpose of prostitution	38	26	37	8	24	3	2		
	„ 374 ...	Forced labor	39	9	9	5	4	...	...		
	„ 376 ...	Rape	40	259	180	85	90	1	4		
	„ 377 ...	Unnatural offence	41	90	86	17	69	...	...		
	„ 382 ...	Theft with aggravating circumstances ...	42	34	48	28	19	...	1		
	„ 379 to 381 and 401,	Other cases	43	39,229	18,967	3,604	15,172	54	137		
	„ 386 to 389 ...	Extortion with aggravating circumstances	44	2	9	9	...	...	...		
	„ 384 to 385 ...	Other cases	45	642	316	199	110	...	7		
	„ 394 ... (Robbery.)	With hurt	46	44	88	8	80	...	...		
	„ 392 ... (Robbery.)	Other cases	47	133	345	135	207	1	2		
	„ 393 ... (Robbery.)	Attempts	48	10	12	4	8	...	...		
	„ 296 ... (Dacoity.)	With murder	49	4	36	12	24	...	...		
	„ 397 ... (Dacoity.)	With attempt to cause death or grievous hurt	50	9	47	12	35	...	...		
	„ 398 ... (Dacoity.)	Attempted robbery or dacoity when armed with deadly weapons ...	51	22	45	14	27	...	4		
Offences against property.	„ 395. 396, 400 and 402, (Dacoity.)	Other cases	52	66	258	58	200	...	...		
„ XVII	„ 403 and 404 ...	Criminal misappropriation of property,	53	658	672	293	373	4	2		
	„ 406 to 409 ...	Criminal breach of trust	54	954	817	339	449	3	26		
	„ 411 to 414 ...	Receiving or habitually dealing in stolen or plundered property	55	4,832	7,262	1,605	5,553	38	66		
	„ 417 to 420 ...	Cheating	56	819	661	349	301	...	11		
	„ 421 to 424 ...	Fraudulent deeds or disposition of property	57	7	17	11	6	...	...		
	„ 429 to 433 and 435 to 440 ... (Mischief.)	With aggravating circumstances ...	58	409	310	161	145	...	4		
	„ 426 to 428 and 434... (Mischief.)	Other causes	59	6,386	4,720	2,768	1,930	6	16		
	„ 359 and 460 ... (Criminal trespass.)	Resulting in death or grievous hurt	60	7	11	1	10	...	...		
	„ 449 to 452, 454, 455, 457 and 458 ... (Criminal trespass.)	For commission of serious offences	61	24,855	4,304	799	3,455	4	47		
	„ 447, 448, 453, 456, 461 and 462 ... (Criminal trespass.)	Other cases	62	5,635	4,051	2,132	1,863	6	50		

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. II.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement of offences reported, and of persons tried, convicted, and acquitted for each offence, in the districts of the North-Western Provinces, in the year 1880—(continued.)

Description of offences.						No.	Number of offences reported during the year.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Died, escaped or transferred.	Remaining under trial.	Remarks.
I.—OFFENCES UNDER THE PENAL CODE—(*concluded.*)													
Offences relating to documents and to trade or property mark	Chap. XVIII	Secs. 465 to 471 and 474...		Forgery or uttering or possessing forged documents or papers ...		63	95	146	74	69	5	8	
		„ 472 to 476 ...		Counterfeiting or making or possessing a counterfeit seal, &c., for purposes of forgery		64	1	1	...	1			
		„ 477		Fraudulently destroying or defacing a will or other documents ...		65	9	7	7				
		„ 482, 486, 487 and 488		Using a false trade or property mark and knowingly selling property so marked		66	1	1	...	1			
		„ 483 to 485 ...		Counterfeiting or making or possessing a die, plate or instrument for counterfeiting a trade or property mark.		67	1	1	...	1			
		„ 489		Removing, destroying, &c, a trade or property mark with intent to cause injury		68	6	3	3				
Criminal breach of contracts and service ...	„ XIX	„ 490 to 492 ...	... ...			69	53	122	28	94			
Offences relating to marriage ...	„ XX	„ 493 to 498 ...	... ...			70	1,992	1,469	1,032	407	6	24	
Defamation ...	„ XXI	„ 500 to 502 ...	... ...			71	160	163	108	53	...	2	
Criminal intimidation, insult, or annoyance ...	„ XXII	„ 506	Resulting in death or other grievous hurt			72	54	103	55	48			
		„ 504 to 510 ...	Other cases			73	424	392	177	208	...	7	
II.—OFFENCES UNDER SPECIAL AND LOCAL LAWS.													
BREACHES OF THE LAW RELATING TO—													
Arms, Ammunition, and Military Stores					Act 11 of 1878	74	439	592	88	503	...	1	
Army Discipline and Regulation Act of 1879						74a	8	12	2	10	...	...	
Cantonments, Military					„ 3 of 1880	75	1,716	3,455	585	2,869	...	1	
Contagious Diseases					„ 14 of 1868	76	59	91	2	89			
Coinage and Mint					„ 23 of 1870	77							
Companies' Act					„ 10 of 1866	78							
Criminal Tribes and Eunuchs					„ 27 of 1871	79	46	75	16	59			
Cattle Trespass					„ 1 of 1871	80	1,924	1,419	491	928			
Contract Workmen					„ 13 of 1859	81	11	20	12	8			
Canal, Drainage, and Embankments					„ 8 of 1873	82	1,449	3,243	514	2,726	...	8	

Customs, Sea	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	8 of 1878	83	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto Inland	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	8 of 1875	84	301	491	43	448	...	...	
Elephants	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	6 of 1879	85	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Emigration	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	7 of 1879	86	2	2	2	...	...	...	
Excise	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	10 of 1871	87	951	1,515	298	1,211	5		1
Ferries	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	17 of 1878	88	32	68	23	45	...	...	
Foreigners	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Regulation and Act	11 of 1872 and 3 of 1864	89	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Forests	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	Act	7 of 1878	90	66	214	75	139	...	...	
Gambling	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	3 of 1867	91	403	2,079	304	1,768	...		7
Hackney and Stage Carriages	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	16 of 1861	92	124	139	44	90	5	...	
Infanticide	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	8 of 1870	93	268	591	97	494	...	...	
Inoculation	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	24 of 1868	94	1	1	...	1	...	...	
Land Acquisition	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	10 of 1870	95	...	...	...	...	...	...	
License Tax	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	2 of 1878	96	2	4	...	4	...	...	
Marriage, Christian	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	15 of 1872	97	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Municipalities	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	15 of 1873	98	6,507	11,454	1,287	10,159	1		7
Opium	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	13 of 1857 and 1 of 1878	99	420	647	152	491	2		2
Pleaders	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	20 of 1865	100	4	6	2	4	...	...	
Police, District	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	5 of 1861	101	4,501	9,789	649	9,125	1		14
Ditto, Town	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	20 of 1856	102	151	355	11	344	...	...	
Ditto, Road and Village	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	16 of 1873	103	394	617	76	535	...		6
Post-offices	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	14 of 1866	104	17	30	11	19	...	...	
Prisons	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	26 of 1870	105	52	59	5	54	...	...	
Prisoners	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	5 of 1871	106	...	1	...	1	...	...	
Press, native	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	9 of 1878	107	1	...	...	...	...	...	
Printing, Presses	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	25 of 1867	108	1	1	...	1	...	...	
Railways	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	4 of 1879	109	296	417	71	346	...	...	
Registration of Documents	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	3 of 1877	110	7	22	10	12	...	...	
Sarais and Parnos	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	22 of 1867	111	8	50	1	49	...	...	
Stamps	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	1 of 1879	112	576	1,016	130	882	...		4
Telegraphs	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	1 of 1876	113	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Treasure Trove	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	6 of 1878	114	13	56	22	31	...		3
Tolls	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,, ,, ,,	8 of 1851, 15 of 1864 and 1 of 1867	115	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Vagrancy, European	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	9 of 1874	116	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Volunteers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	,,	20 of 1869	117	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Proceedings under the Civil Procedure Code.											415	454	157	288	6		3
Proceedings under the Criminal Procedure Code.											2,116	6,129	916	5,153	18		42
						Total	...	...	...	...	1,67,899	1,32,476	35,199	96,199	237		841

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. III.—(CRIMINAL).

Statement showing the general result of criminal trials in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1880.

	Remaining at the end of last year.	Number of persons dealt with						Persons disposed of					Remaining at the end of the year.	Average number of days during which each case lasted.	Number of witnesses who attended.	Remarks.
		Brought to trial during the year.				Received by transfer.	Total.	Discharged without trial.	Acquitted.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped, or transferred.				
		Under arrest by police.	Upon warrant.	On summons.	Voluntarily.											
Village officers, unpaid Magistrates ...	27	9,316	259	9,315	367	2	19,286	2,656	2,310	14,129	165	6	20	6	27,685	
Local Subordinate, paid Magistrates ...	119	18,298	759	23,921	1,808	23	44,928	6,692	5,735	31,473	761	68	199	5	89,093	
Full power Magistrates of general jurisdiction.	559	36,169	1,983	22,653	1,599	169	63,132	7,083	9,447	44,015	1,866	140	581	6	1,65,898	
Chief Magistrates of districts ...	63	2,565	301	1,961	107	133	5,130	630	646	3,546	244	23	41	7	11,572	
Total Magistracy ...	768	66,348	3,302	57,850	3,881	327	1,32,476	17,061	18,138	93,163	3,036	237	841	6	2,94,248	
Sessions Courts	170	2,293	108	14	25	...	2,610	...	595	1,735	67	35	178	33	10,327	
High Court	1	8	...	...	...	...	9	...	3	6	...	...	...	22	59	
GRAND TOTAL ...	939	68,649	3,410	57,864	3,906	327	1,35,095	17,061	18,736	94,904	3,103	272	1,019	20	3,04,634	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. IV.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing the punishment inflicted by various criminal tribunals in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1880.

Class of tribunal.	PERSONS SENTENCED TO—												*Persons ordered to find or give*		
		TRANSPORTATION.			IMPRISONMENT.				FINE.		WHIPPING.				
					Rigorous.										
	Death.	For life.	For a term.	Penal servitude.	With solitary confinement.	Without solitary confinement.	Simple.	Forfeiture of property.	With imprisonment.	Without imprisonment.	In addition to other punishment.	In lieu of other punishment.	Security to keep the peace.	Recognizance.	Security for good behaviour.
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
By village officers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
By unpaid Magistrates	...	...	...	...	...	1,137	73	...	139	12,214	20	239	...	41	18
By subordinate local paid Magistrates ...	...	...	...	...	59	4,938	537	...	1,002	28,113	26	1,932	61	282	105
By full power Magistrates of general jurisdiction.	...	...	...	...	335	12,748	648	...	1,781	17,719	683	4,252	611	2,006	931
By Chief Magistrates of districts ...	...	...	...	...	13	912	82	...	133	1,419	79	428	84	183	201
By Sessions Courts	67	114	80	...	98	1,479	17	...	77	32	23	22	...	...	1
By High Court	...	1	...	...	...	3	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	67	115	80	...	505	21,217	1,359	...	3,133	59,497	831	6,923	756	2,512	1,256

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. IV.—(CRIMINAL).

Statement showing the punishment inflicted by various criminal tribunals in the North-Western Provinces, in the year 1880.—(concluded).

Class of tribunal.	DETAIL OF PUNISHMENT.																				
	FINE.									IMPRISONMENT.										WHIPPED.		
										15 *days.*		6 *months.*		2 *years.*		7 *years.*		*Above 7 years.*				
	Rs. 10 and under.	Rs. 50 and under.	Rs. 100 and under.	Rs. 500 and under.	Rs. 1,000 and under.	Above Rs. 1,000.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realized.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Rigorous.	Simple.	10 stripes and under.	20 stripes and under.	30 stripes and under.
	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32	33	34	35	36	37
By village officers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
By unpaid Magistrates ...	12,028	203	6	3	...	...	24,687	23,613	986	355	49	795	27	142	1	...	...	...	..	147	123	39
By subordinate local paid Magistrates.	23,305	2,997	87	5	2	...	91,752	86,569	2,408	2,211	317	4,102	156	393	9	1	...	...	...	842	895	221
By full power Magistrates of general jurisdiction.	16,602	3,299	250	47	5	...	1,88,072	1,47,379	13,280	999	352	8,066	395	6,081	13	11	...	...	...	1,559	2,177	1,199
By Chief Magistrates of districts...	1,225	265	39	22	...	...	25,294	18,433	2,578	69	44	544	52	473	1	31	...	...	...	171	230	106
By Sessions Courts	3	27	59	10	9	1	15,742	5,404	1,778	...	...	80	6	412	10	871	1	116	...	4	22	19
By High Court	...	...	1	...	...	...	100	100	...	...	...	3	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Total ...	53,163	6,791	442	87	16	1	3,45,647	2,81,498	21,030	3,634	762	13,590	638	7,501	34	914	1	117	...	2,723	3,447	1,584

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. V.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing the result of appeal and revision in criminal cases in the North-Western Provinces during the year 1880.

Tribunal.		Number of appellants or persons applying for revision.	Number of persons.								Remarks.
			Appeal or application rejected.	Sentences confirmed.	Sentences modified.	Sentences reversed.	Proceedings quashed.	Further inquiry or evidence ordered.	Cases referred for revision to High Court.	Pending.	
To Magistrates of districts.	Appeals from unpaid Magistrates ...	414	62	200	34	99	...	4	2	12	
	Appeals from paid Magistrates ...	2,909	467	1,381	322	567	...	106	9	58	
To Sessions Courts.	Appeals from unpaid Magistrates ...	101	17	37	17	13	...	...	9	8	
	Appeals from paid Magistrates ...	3,487	918	1,524	357	434	...	48	70	129	7 transferred.
	High Court	1,186	146	727	172	88	...	12	...	41	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. VI.—(CRIMINAL).

Statement showing use of juries and assessors in the criminal courts of the North-Western Provinces during the year 1880.

Classes of courts in which jurors and assessors are employed.	Established or average number of jury or assessors in each case and prescribed qualification.	Number of cases tried by jury.	Number of cases tried with assessors.	*Jury trial.*		*Assessors trial.*		Note showing what classes of persons have been principally employed as jurors and assessors.	Remarks.
				Cases in which the Judge approved of the verdict.	Cases in which the Judge did not approve of the verdict.	Number of cases in which Judge agreed with assessors.	Number of cases in which Judge differed from assessors.		
Sessions Judges' Courts, North-Western Provinces.	Assessors 3	...	1,214	...	...	1,008	206	Pleaders, traders, those engaged in service and landholders.	
High Court, North-Western Provinces ...	Jurors 9	5	...	5	...	...	...	Military officers, clerks, and traders.	

CRIMINAL STATEMENTS

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NOTE

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ADMINISTRATION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE

IN THE

NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES

During the calendar year 1881.

THE number of offences reported is 227,165 against 167,899 in 1880; 166,138 in 1879; and 220,852 in 1878; and of cases brought to trial 92,673 against 74,489 in 1880; 73,400 in 1879; and 108,994 in 1878.

"Offences reported" in 1881 cannot, however, be properly compared with those of previous years, because, as a rule, only offences which were investigated by the police or came before a Magistrate used to be shown in the annual returns as "reported," whereas for 1881 all offences, cognizable and non-cognizable, of which information was given, complaint made, or cognizance taken, have been shown.

Similarly, no comparison can be made between cases brought to trial, persons under trial, and persons discharged or acquitted in 1881 and the cases brought to trial, persons under trial, and persons acquitted or discharged in any previous year, because, as a rule, till 1881, cases dismissed under section 147 or dismissed in default or on withdrawal from prosecution were not entered at all in the returns.

The only figures which admit of comparison are the number of convictions, which were 92,654 against 94,904 in 1880; 96,888 in 1879; 137,424 in 1878; 114,700 in 1877, and 97,955 in 1876. Crime, generally, therefore, may be taken to have been below the average of the normal years 1876, 1879, and 1880. Convictions (including committals) for theft were 15,226 against 15,191 in 1880; for receiving stolen property 5,900 against 5,553; for robbery and dacoity 368 against 581; for criminal misappropriation of property 282 against 373; for criminal breach of trust 429 against 449; for cheating 290 against 301; for mischief 2,668 against 2,075; for criminal trespass 5,949 against 5,328; and under the Code of Criminal Procedure and special and local laws 35,162 against 38,886.

2. Of the 92,654 persons who were convicted, 75,779, or 82 per cent., were tried regularly, and the rest summarily. Fifty-nine per cent. of those convicted were fined, 29 per cent. imprisoned, 6 per cent. whipped, and the remaining 6 per cent. otherwise punished. The decrease in the proportion of persons fined is doubtless due to the decrease in convictions under the Municipalities and Police Acts.

3. Of the fines imposed, amounting to Rs. 3,26,891, Rs. 2,67,685 were realised within the year. The High Court realised 33 per cent. of the fines it imposed; Sessions Judges 36 per cent; and Magistrates, as in the previous year, 84 per cent. The rules which have recently been issued will, it is believed, have the effect of increasing the present very small proportion of fines realised by Courts of Session to fines imposed by them. Of fines imposed, 43 per cent. were of sums not exceeding Rs. 10; 37 per cent. of sums exceeding Rs. 10 and not exceeding Rs. 50; 9 per cent. of sums exceeding Rs. 50 and not exceeding Rs. 100; and 11 per cent. of sums exceeding Rs. 100.

Only 5 per cent. of fines realised were paid to injured persons by way of compensation.

4. Of persons sentenced to imprisonment, 19 per cent. were sentenced to fifteen days and under; 54 per cent. to more than fifteen days and not more than six months; 23 per cent. to more than six months and not more than two years; 3½ per cent. to terms varying from two to seven years; and ½ per cent. to terms exceeding seven years.

5. Of the persons who were whipped, 37 received ten stripes or less, 45 per cent. over ten and not more than twenty stripes, and 18 per cent. from twenty-one to thirty stripes.

6. One thousand eight hundred and eighteen persons, or three more than in the previous year, were called upon to show cause why they should not be required to find security for good behaviour. 588 of them were discharged, and 1,189 required to furnish security, which 549 or 46 per cent. gave, and 640 or 54 per cent. were imprisoned in default of giving.

7. The total number of witnesses who attended the Courts was 381, 276; namely, 133 the High Court; 13,100 the Courts of Session, and 368,043 the Courts of Magistrates.

Of the 13,100 witnesses who attended the Courts of Session 8,762, or 67 per cent., were discharged on the first day; 2,227, or 17 per cent., on the second day; 973, or 7 per cent., on the third day; and 1,138, or 9 per cent., after the third day. Witnesses were detained longest in the Bareilly Sessions Court, where 603 of them, or 51 per cent. of all who attended the Court, were detained beyond three days. Such abnormal detention must be the result of defective arrangements in fixing dates for trials and the Sessions Judge will be asked for an explanation.

Of the 368,043 witnesses who attended the Courts of Magistrates during the year, 336,346, or 91 per cent., were discharged on the first day; 24,534, or 7 per cent., on the second day; 5,372 on the third day; and 1,791 after the third day. Detention of witnesses was longest in the Pilibhít, Allahabad, Gorakhpur and Basti districts.

Of the 133 witnesses who attended the High Court, 73 were examined and 115 received their expenses; of the 13,100 who attended Courts of Session, 9,891 were examined and 9,683 received their expenses; and of the 368,043 who attended Courts of Magistrates, 330,879 were examined and 27,374 received their expenses.

The amount paid to witnesses for travelling expenses was Rs. 19,479, of which Rs. 4,724 were expended in the High Court, Rs 5,511 in Courts of Session, and Rs. 9,244 in Courts of Magistrates.

In the High Court 86 per cent. of the witnesses who attended received their expenses; in Courts of Session 74 per cent., and in Courts of Magistrates less than 8 per cent. Each witness to whom payment was made received on the average Rs. 41-1-3 in the High Court; Re. 0-9-1 in Courts of Session; and Re. 0-5-5 in Courts of Magistrates.

The distribution of expenditure was very unequal. In the Cawnpur district 24 per cent. of the witnesses who attended the Courts of Magistrates received their expenses, and in the adjoining district of Fatehpur only 6 per cent. In Dehra, each witness to whom payment was made in the Court of a Magistrate received on the average Rs. 3-10-5; in Sahâranpur Re. 0-12-7; in Muzaffarnagar Re. 0-7-0; and in Bijnor Re. 0-3-2.

8. The average duration of cases in Courts of Magistrates was four days.

9. The number of appellants and applicants for revision was 10,932 against 8,097 in 1880 and 8,675 in 1879. Appellants to Magistrates of Districts were 3,445 in number; to Courts of Session 2,934, and to the High Court 1,101; of whom 36 per cent., 27 per cent., and 24 per cent., respectively, succeeded in obtaining the reversal or modification of the orders of which they complained.

The cases of 1,095 persons came before the High Court in revision. The Court refused to interfere in 53 per cent of these cases. In 5 per cent., most of which were called for on perusal of the monthly Sessions statements, sentences were enhanced; in 7 per cent. they were reduced; in 21 per cent. they were reversed; and in 14 per cent. new trial or further enquiry was ordered.

The duration of appeals was 8 days in Courts of Magistrates; 32 days in Courts of Session; and 29 days in the High Court.

The duration of applications for revision was 10 days in Courts of Magistrates and Courts of Session and 25 days in the High Court.

10. The number of persons under trial in Courts of Session during the year was 2,836 against 2,610 in 1880 and 2,801 in 1879. Of these 2,836 persons 715 were acquitted and 1,832 convicted.

Of the 266 persons whose cases were undisposed of at the close of the year, 50 were awaiting trial in the Court of the Sessions Judge of Muradabad, 36 in that of the Sessions Judge of Ghâzipur, the same number in the Court of the Sessions Judge of Bijnor-Budaon, and 34 in the Sessions Court of Agra.

Mr. Daniell has explained that the arrears in his Court were due to heavy calendars being sent up towards the close of the year. He complains that about a third of all the persons under trial in his Court are committed to it by reason of their being deemed to be habitual offenders; and remarks that Magistrates might often inflict the punishment of whipping in addition to other punishment on habitual offenders with quite as deterrent an effect as by sending such offenders to be tried by the Court of Session.

The duration of cases was 32 days in Courts of Session.

11. During the year the High Court had before it references in respect of 91 persons on whom sentence of death had been passed by Courts of Session. The results of the references were confirmation of sentence in the case of 67 persons (73 per cent); modification in respect of 10 (11 per cent.); acquittal in respect of 9 (10 per cent.); and new trial in respect of 5 (6 per cent). These results are less satisfactory than in the previous year.

12. On the original side the High Court disposed of seven cases, convicting 6 persons and acquitting the same number.

The average duration of the cases was 56 days.

13. The receipts of the Courts were Rs. 3,87,902, and the charges Rs 15,86,085. The receipts include process-fees, other Court fees, fines, penalties of forfeited recognizances and other bonds, and sale-proceeds of property under sections 172, 354 and 417 of the Code of Criminal Procedure and section 27, Act V., 1861. The charges include (1) a moiety of the salaries of officers exercising Criminal and Civil or Criminal and Revenue powers, and the same proportion of the salaries of their office establishments employed in both departments; (2) one-third of the salaries of officers exercising Criminal, Civil and Revenue powers, and the same proportion of the salaries of their office establishments employed in all three departments; (3) tour charges; (4) expenses of complainants and witnesses; (5) country stationery, and (6) all other contingent charges, such as cost of furniture, service telegrams and cloth for records.

14. The subject of securing greater uniformity in the award of punishment, to which reference was made in the note on the Criminal statements for 1880, has been receiving from several Magistrates the attention it deserves; and the improvement that has already begun will probably be still more marked in the returns for the current year.

The average terms of imprisonment awarded for some of the offences which, in the infliction of punishment, are most unequally regarded by the Courts, are shown in the following statement:—

In Courts of Magistrates.

Offence.	Number of persons sentenced to imprisonment.	Average term of imprisonment.			Number of persons sentenced, in addition to imprisonment, to—	
		Y.	M.	D.	Whipping.	Fine.
False evidence— Sections 193 and 196-200, Indian Penal Code	199	...	5	14	...	44
Theft of cattle— Sections 379, 380 and 411, Indian Penal Code	1,952	...	11	9	124	129
Theft of other property— Sections 379, 380 and 411, Indian Penal Code	9,493	...	4	6	514	500
House-breaking by night— Sections 457 and 458, Indian Penal Code,	2,199	1	...	3	134	144
Enticing away a married woman— Section 498	285	...	4	29	...	35

In Courts of Session.

Offence.	Number of persons sentenced to imprisonment or transportation.	Average term of imprisonment or transportation.			Number of persons sentenced, in addition to imprisonment or transportation, to—	
		Y.	M.	D.	Whipping.	Fine.
False evidence— Sections 193-200, Indian Penal Code ...	57	2	3	28	...	1
Causing miscarriage— Sections 312-316, Indian Penal Code ...	25	2	1	12	...	...
Kidnapping and abduction— Sections 363-369, Indian Penal Code ...	62	3	8	15	1	2
Rape— Section 376, Indian Penal Code ...	55	4	5	20	...	4
Unnatural offence— Section 377, Indian Penal Code ...	40	4	4	20	3	1
Forgery— Sections 465 477, Indian Penal Code ...	32	3	3	17	...	6
Adultery— Section 497, Indian Penal Code ...	17	...	10	2	...	...

In Courts of Magistrates the punishment for false evidence varied from little over one month's imprisonment in Agra to over a year in Farukhabad.

For cattle-theft the term of imprisonment was a year and nine months in the Tarai, and three months in Ghâzipur. In Etah, where there were more convictions for cattle-lifting than in any other district, the average term was nine months. In Bijnor and Bareilly the term was nearly twice as long as in Badaon and Muradabad, in Gorakhpur nearly twice as long as in Basti, and in Hamírpur more than three times as long as in Bánda.

For theft of other property the average punishment varied from a year and four months in the Tarai to little over a month in Farukhabad. In Gorakhpur it was eight months and in Basti but little over two months. In Aligarh and Hamírpur it was more than twice as severe as in Etah and Bánda. In Ballia it was nearly three times as severe as in Ghâzipur.

The punishment for house-breaking was six months in Gházipur and over a year in Ballia; less then six months in Bánda and nearly twelve in Hamírpur.

The offence of enticing away a married woman was visited with imprisonment for two or three months in ten cases in Aligarh; for three or four months in thirty-six cases in Muradabad and in eighteen cases in Sháhjahánpur; for four months in fifteen cases in Bijnor; for five or six months in twenty cases in Farukhabad and in twenty-two cases in Allahabad; for six months in Muzaffarnagar; for seven or eight months in fifteen cases in Benares; for eight or nine months in eight cases in Meerut and in nine cases in the Tarai; for nine or ten months in twelve cases in Cawnpore, and for eleven months in fourteen cases in Fatehpur.

15. During the year rules were issued under Act III., 1879, respecting the disposal of records, books and papers of Criminal Courts, and under Act VII., 1870, as to the fees chargeable for serving and executing processes issued by Magistrates.

HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE, N.-W. P.,
Allahabad, the 24th August, 1882.

S. HARVEY JAMES,
Registrar.

TABLE A.

Showing in detail for each class the number of persons convicted in 1881.

Districts.	Offences against the State and relating to the Army and Navy, chapters VI. and VII. Indian Penal Code.	Offences against the public tranquillity, chapter VIII.	Offences by or relating to public servants, chapters IX. and X.	Offences against public justice and false evidence, chapter XI.	Offences relating to coin, stamps and weights and measures, chapters XII. and XVII	Offences affecting public health &c. and religion, chapters XIV. and XV.	Offences affecting the human body, chapter XVI.	Offences against property, chapter XVII.	Miscellaneous offences under the Penal Code, chapters XVIII. to XXII.	Total offences under the Penal Code.	Offences under the Code of Criminal Procedure and under Special Laws.	Grand Total.
Dehra Dún	...	59	47	8	1	53	94	247	32	541	717	1,258
Saharanpur	...	38	89	19	4	18	300	427	11	906	1,325	2,231
Muzaffarnagar	...	31	144	21	4	39	231	518	35	1,023	1,176	2,199
Meerut	...	100	407	25	2	42	330	1 530	17	2,462	1,636	4,098
Bulandshahr ...	...	18	107	23	2	728	489	526	4	1,892	1,344	3,236
Aligarh	1	181	154	37	17	39	508	815	25	1,777	1,051	2 828
Kumaun	...	68	54	27	3	7	160	337	46	702	716	1,418
Garhwal	...	15	10	3	2	1	76	41	15	163	22	185
Tarai	...	...	8	9	...	1	121	156	12	307	76	383
Bijnor	...	51	86	28	2	308	315	480	21	1,291	425	1,716
Muradabad ...	...	401	124	42	16	69	694	1,890	49	3,285	1,081	4,366
Budaun	...	115	128	31	3	34	575	889	12	1,787	603	2,390
Bareilly	...	121	82	43	9	17	621	1,855	13	2,761	1,570	4,331
Pilibhit	...	23	29	1	1	11	173	388	11	637	87	724
Sháhjahánpur ...	...	142	79	35	12	75	610	1,219	39	2 202	983	3,185
Muttra ...	...	80	85	14	12	80	534	959	7	1,771	1,574	3,345
Agra	...	159	151	52	12	28	693	2,046	69	3,210	1,801	5,011
Farukhabad ...	...	114	74	8	4	13	543	1,032	23	1,811	679	2,490
Mainpuri	...	122	224	37	5	56	361	701	14	1,520	1,114	2,634
Etawah	...	8	18	21	1	14	230	640	10	942	599	1,541
Etah	...	106	157	27	9	49	477	585	10	1,420	1,123	2,543
Jalaun	...	78	40	27	4	36	238	489	46	958	558	1,516
Jhansi	...	91	22	17	8	...	259	525	45	967	850	1,817
Lalitpur	...	33	72	9	3	4	100	291	15	527	194	721
Cawnpore	...	305	136	64	5	49	556	973	67	2,155	1,941	4,096
Futehpur	...	116	155	55	5	265	831	866	24	2 317	1,279	3 596
Banda	...	184	89	8	6	33	745	1,843	39	2,967	543	3,510
Allahabad	...	87	62	50	7	391	762	1,034	52	2,445	1,798	4,243
Hamirpur	...	119	90	29	17	76	286	637	17	1,271	537	1,808
Jaunpur	...	96	59	16	1	44	638	378	19	1,251	445	1,696
Gorakhpur	...	197	74	36	6	48	766	411	43	1,581	989	2 570
Basti	2	233	137	30	5	7	441	818	5	1,678	273	1,951
Azamgarh	...	389	33	20	1	9	319	932	3	1,706	481	2,187
Mirzapur	...	181	97	13	7	9	486	639	44	1,476	1,061	2,537
Benares	...	131	66	32	12	32	529	1,764	46	2,612	1,864	4,476
Ghazipur	...	126	72	21	16	12	501	607	12	1,367	1,102	2,469
Ballia	...	98	155	17	2	3	180	291	2	748	560	1,308
Total ...	3	4,416	3,607	955	226	2,695	15,781	29,799	954	58,436	34,177	92,613
High Court ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	3	2	6	...	6
Grand Total ...	3	4,416	3,607	955	226	2,695	15,782	29,802	956	58,442	34 177	92,619

TABLE B.

Showing the number of cases brought to trial during the year, disposed of, and pending in the Courts of Session and the Courts of Magistrates in 1881.

Districts.	Courts of Session.			Courts of Magistrates.			Remarks.
	Brought to trial.	Disposed of	Pending.	Brought to trial.	Disposed of	Pending.	
Dehra Dún	7	7	...	1,181	1,177	4	
Saharanpur	18	15	3	2,326	2,255	71	
Muzaffarnagar	47	40	7	2,198	2,177	21	
Meerut	34	34	...	3,485	3,469	16	
Bulandshahr	28	24	4	2,937	2,922	15	
Aligarh	46	42	4	2,704	2,689	15	
Kumaun	15	15	...	1,216	1,215	1	
Garhwal	3	3	...	177	176	1	
Tarai	6	6	...	284	277	7	
Bijnor	41	34	7	2,793	2,787	6	
Muradabad	100	92	8	3,387	3,371	16	
Budaun	77	65	12	2,161	2,143	18	
Bareilly	65	63	2	4,715	4,708	7	
Pilibhit	25	19	6	780	1,777	3	
Shâhjahânpur	67	66	1	5,408	5,383	25	
Muttra	33	31	2	2,803	2,787	16	
Agra	66	48	18	4,320	4,282	38	
Farukhabad	68	63	5	2,660	2,634	26	
Mainpuri	65	61	4	2,369	2,319	50	
Etawah	43	42	1	1,890	1,867	23	
Etah	31	30	1	3,624	3,613	11	
Jalaun	6	5	1	1,171	1,168	3	
Jhânsi	4	4	...	1,700	1,690	10	
Lalitpur	5	5	...	731	730	1	
Cawnpore	96	90	6	3,913	3,894	19	
Fatehpur	57	54	3	2,541	2,528	13	
Banda	41	39	2	2,907	2,892	15	
Allahabad	87	84	3	4,298	4,269	29	
Hamirpur	52	48	4	1,742	1,719	23	
Jaunpur	36	36	...	3,242	3,224	18	
Gorakhpur	48	44	4	3,893	3,877	16	
Basti	42	40	2	2,232	2,188	44	
Azamgarh	34	34	...	2,754	2,734	20	
Mirzapur	45	44	1	2,582	2,562	20	
Benares	58	55	3	3,986	3,967	19	
Ghazipur	25	21	4	2,390	2,338	52	
Ballia	16	14	2	862	841	21	
Total ...	1,537	1,417	120	95,362	94,649	713	

TABLE C.

Showing the number of persons concerned in cases decided under the miscellaneous provisions of the Criminal Procedure Code during 1881.

Districts.	Frivolous or vexatious complaints summarily dealt with under chapter XVI, section 209.	Proceedings against witnesses under chapter XXVI.	Forfeiture of bail or recognizance under chapter XXVIII.	Non-attendance of Jurors or Assessors, chapter XXIX section 414.	Contempts of Court under chapter XXXII	Proceedings under chapter XXXVII to prevent breach of the peace.	Proceedings under chapter XXXVIII, security for good behaviour.	Proceedings against local nuisances chapter XXXIX.	Possession, chapter XL.	Maintenance, chapter XLI.	Total of persons.
Dehra Dún ...	2	1	...	...	...	15	3	...	1	5	27
Saharanpur ...	2	...	6	2	...	2	42	498	37	30	619
Muzaffarnagar ...	...	...	...	...	...	24	23	...	...	2	49
Meerut	15	7	3	1	41	67	120	3,494	1	15	3,764
Bulandshahr ...	8	...	2	1	...	140	52	627	23	27	880
Aligarh	11	...	4	3	...	95	98	...	...	4	215
Kumaun	1	...	1	...	...	20	28	...	...	2	52
Garhwal	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	1	4
Tarai	...	...	...	...	...	11	39	...	...	...	50
Bijnor	13	...	...	...	2	39	14	971	17	32	1,088
Muradabad ...	10	...	1	4	...	137	51	...	...	3	206
Budaun	8	...	5	1	...	215	113	75	8	10	435
Bareilly	23	7	1	11	3	135	65	3	1	36	285
Pilibhít	...	4	2	...	...	33	34	...	...	9	82
Sháhjahánpur ...	2	...	1	3	1	234	127	...	12	54	434
Muttra	13	...	1	...	6	88	45	...	10	7	170
Agra	28	...	2	...	...	95	158	6	19	21	329
Farukhabad ...	...	...	2	...	4	49	5	1	13	24	98
Mainpuri	1	...	5	...	2	110	48	...	13	15	194
Etáwah	2	...	...	1	...	16	16	...	1	7	43
Etah	6	...	...	...	...	160	101	...	...	2	269
Jalaun	5	25	1	...	52	25	5	8	...	...	121
Jhansi	1	...	1	...	...	50	12	...	6	4	74
Lalitpur	4	...	...	...	...	10	7	16	...	7	44
Cawnpore	4	...	2	9	...	140	19	137	4	36	351
Fatehpur	20	15	2	...	3	602	52	...	7	16	717
Banda	6	...	5	...	...	353	17	...	49	18	448
Allahabad	11	...	4	3	2	165	51	115	30	56	437
Hamirpur	4	...	1	...	5	149	45	70	...	4	278
Jaunpur	20	...	1	2	2	53	22	...	7	20	127
Gorakhpur ...	18	...	2	...	...	158	139	65	45	36	463
Basti	5	...	4	...	2	87	39	...	16	32	185
Azamgarh	15	...	1	2	...	14	40	...	15	17	104
Mirzapur	12	...	8	...	4	107	48	...	32	72	283
Benares	14	...	1	...	...	8	38	130	1	77	269
Ghazipur	1	...	...	...	...	210	44	5	29	5	294
Ballia	1	...	2	...	...	102	58	...	17	17	197
Total ...	286	59	71	43	129	3,921	1,818	6,221	414	723	13,685
Grand Total ...	286	59	71	43	129	3,921	1,818	6,221	414	723	13,685

TABLE D.

Showing the results of trials in the Courts of Session in 1881 *(as affecting persons.)*

Districts.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Referred.	Died, escaped, transferred	Remaining under trial.	Number per cent. of persons entered in columns 3 and 4, and of those whose cases were referred under section 287 (C.P.C.) who were convicted.
Dehra Dún	10	4	4	2	...	...	·60
Saharanpur	27	5	16	...	...	6	·62
Muzaffarnagar	82	16	49	6	...	11	·78
Meerut	68	31	37	...	...	...	·57
Bulandshahr	43	11	28	4	1	4	·72
Aligarh	93	25	60	6	...	9	·74
Kumaon	45	21	19	..	1	...	·55
Garhwal	3	1	1	...	...	...	·50
Tarai	18	7	5	...	...	...	·42
Bijnor	73	16	39	3	...	12	·78
Moradabad	223	50	118	2	1	50	·72
Budaun	127	26	70	7	...	24	·75
Bareilly	142	37	97	3	...	5	·74
Pilibhit	45	3	24	...	1	17	·89
Shâhjahânpur	98	38	55	4	...	1	·63
Muttra	78	4	59	11	...	4	·95
Agra	119	21	65	9	1	30	·81
Farukhabad	138	24	81	8	...	8	·80
Mainpuri	113	28	76	...	...	7	·74
Etawah	75	19	48	...	1	6	·72
Etah	56	14	37	4	...	1	·75
Jalaun	11	4	4	1	...	2	·56
Jhânsi	6	3	1	2	...	...	·67
Lalitpur	15	5	10	...	...	...	·7
Cawnpore	142	27	106	5	...	6	·81
Fatehpur	118	33	77	1	...	6	·71
Banda	91	28	58	...	...	2	·69
Allahabad	165	62	94	5	...	4	·63
Hamirpur	78	24	45	...	2	5	·66
Jaunpur	65	33	32	...	..	...	50
Gorakhpur	59	8	53	...	1	4	·86
Basti	70	12	55	1	1	1	·83
Azamgarh	73	22	49	...	2	...	·70
Mirzapur	68	11	56	...	...	1	·84
Benares	105	39	69	...	...	4	·62
Ghazipur	63	1	33	...	7	29	·97
Ballia	36	2	28	...	4	7	·92
Total	2,836	715	1,748	84	23	266	·73
High Court, North-Western Provinces.	12	6	6	...	...	...	·50
Grand Total ...	2,848	721	1,754	84	23	266	·73

TABLE E.

Showing the results of trials in the Courts of Magistrates in 1881 (*as affecting persons.*)

Districts.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped, transferred.	Remaining under trial.	Number per cent. of persons entered in columns 3 and 4 who were convicted.
Dehra Dún ...	1,930	636	1,274	14	2	4	·67
Saharanpur ...	3,418	1,046	2,295	24	6	47	·69
Muzaffarnagar ...	3,607	1,348	2,127	85	5	32	·62
Meerut ...	6,611	3,739	3,067	74	7	24	·51
Bulandshahr ...	6,221	2,938	3,240	46	8	19	·43
Aligarh ...	5,368	2,444	2,777	114	1	32	·54
Kumaun ...	2,185	756	1,377	46	2	4	·65
Garhwal ...	356	154	186	3	11	2	·55
Tarai ...	647	241	374	16	6	10	·61
Bijnor ...	5,079	3,279	1,657	116	8	19	·58
Muradabad ...	5,769	1,911	3,571	257	2	28	·66
Budaun ...	3,586	895	2,441	213	1	36	·73
Bareilly ...	7,554	3,929	3,442	163	3	17	·37
Pilibhit ...	3,604	2,214	725	62	...	3	·27
Shâhjahânpur ...	9,415	6,115	3,151	103	10	36	·35
Muttra ...	5,486	2,173	3,105	131	25	52	·60
Agra ...	7,708	2,417	5 052	148	31	60	·69
Farukhabad ...	4,256	1,593	2,437	156	12	58	·81
Mainpuri ...	4,533	1,790	2,554	137	7	45	·59
Etawah ...	2,681	1,059	1,498	77	40	7	·59
Etah ...	5,624	2,583	2,808	201	11	18	·52
Jalaun ...	2,430	875	1,505	46	1	3	·64
Jhansi ...	2,796	858	1,870	33	2	28	·68
Lalitpur ...	1,296	553	720	19	3	1	·56
Cawnpore ...	6,007	1,731	4,674	169	5	28	·73
Fatehpur ...	4,854	1,375	3,251	172	25	31	·71
Banda ...	5,698	2,455	3,112	97	1	28	·57
Allahabad ...	7,973	3,114	4,618	185	6	50	·60
Hamirpur ...	2,675	657	1,758	226	21	13	·78
Jaunpur ...	4,966	3,165	1,657	69	...	75	·35
Gorakhpur ...	5,551	1,704	3,553	271	5	15	·68
Basti ...	3,837	1,753	1,905	96	8	75	·52
Azamgarh ...	5,138	2,697	2,216	132	33	60	·46
Mirzapur ...	5,224	2,605	2,562	62	2	52	·49
Benares ...	7,332	3,096	4,093	97	3	38	·57
Ghazipur ...	4,210	1,377	2,691	93	4	45	·67
Ballia ...	1,796	403	1,297	36	30	30	·76
Total ...	167,416	71,072	90,865	4,000	347	1,132	·55
GRAND TOTAL ...	1,67,416	71,072	90,865	4,000	347	1,132	·57

TABLE F.

Showing the number of witnesses examined and the number of persons to whom payments were made on account of expenses in Courts of Session and Courts of Magistrates in 1881.

Districts.	Number of witnesses examined.				Amount paid as expenses.	
	Courts of Session.		*Magistrates' Courts.*		*Courts of Session.*	*Magistrates' Courts.*
	Number of persons to whom payments were made.	Number of witnesses examined	Number of persons to whom payments were made.	Number of witnesses examined.	Amount paid.	Amount paid.
Dehra Dún	37	39	66	3,008	19	242
Saharanpur	74	96	134	7,648	30	105
Muzaffarnagar	393	407	651	6,852	189	287
Meerut	137	186	320	10,212	45	221
Bulandshahr	155	151	1,021	8,572	63	310
Aligarh	145	206	170	9,809	172	99
Kumaun	3	62	74	2,358	3	37
Garhwal	5	13	32	660	10	40
Taral	6	25	2	1,166	6	1
Bijnor	164	205	1,375	7,331	53	272
Muradabad	485	522	3,061	15,647	309	920
Budaun	415	432	501	10,544	284	199
Bareilly	445	520	1,096	13,227	429	483
Pilibhit	111	99	215	4,397	92	89
Sháhjahánpur	679	543	1,885	13,113	372	611
Muttra	193	268	257	9,251	50	60
Agra	253	421	735	16,117	122	452
Farukhabad	529	403	518	11,605	179	143
Mainpuri	544	354	916	12,100	286	281
Etáwah	281	179	503	5,586	210	181
Etáh	162	210	425	10,936	114	165
Jalaun	47	25	257	4,612	21	81
Jhánsi	28	24	1,226	5,234	18	384
Lalitpur	51	25	308	2,661	26	61
Cawnpore	685	685	3,513	12,561	213	763
Fatehpur	368	368	652	9,709	80	133
Bánda	435	410	1,306	11,266	264	321
Allahabad	415	622	1,336	17,923	121	446
Hamírpur	364	365	711	6,223	269	228
Jaunpur	114	111	442	8,519	55	125
Gorakhpur	368	310	638	18,943	270	332
Basti	372	377	1,247	9,060	200	441
Azamgarh	371	329	393	7,199	322	82
Mirzapur	230	349	721	9,724	245	317
Benares	398	416	57	13,116	200	35
Ghazipur	132	65	440	10,108	27	111
Ballia	89	60	260	3,882	143	137
Total ...	9,683	9,891	27,374	3,30,879	5,511	9,244
High Court, N.-W. P.	115	73	...	...	4,724	...
GRAND TOTAL ...	9,798	9,964	27,374	3,30,879	10,235	9,244

TABLE G.

Showing the detention of witnesses in Courts of Session and Courts of Magistrates in 1881.

Districts.	Number of witnesses discharged.							
	Courts of Session.				*Magistrates' Courts.*			
	On the 1st day.	On the 2nd day.	On the 3rd day.	After the 3rd day.	On the 1st day.	On the 2nd day.	On the 3rd day.	After the 3rd day.
Dehra Dún	42	...	...	...	3,096	98	19	...
Saharanpur	75	20	21	...	7,228	919	196	60
Muzaffarnagar	430	71	...	...	6,838	581	170	42
Meerut	294	27	...	...	10,500	923	295	118
Bulandshahr	152	107	11	4	9,108	703	197	50
Aligarh	181	25	10	...	9,918	691	157	77
Kumaun	26	37	...	...	2,325	30	2	27
Garhwal	13	...	...	...	660	...	...	...
Tarai	25	...	...	...	1,185	8	...	...
Bijnor	120	63	29	...	7,887	485	55	15
Muradabad	425	77	37	24	16,162	590	110	8
Budaun	262	156	24	54	9,682	698	234	27
Bareilly	108	190	227	518	14,051	902	105	35
Pilibhit	19	31	8	85	4,157	511	196	70
Shâhjahânpur	501	158	48	31	13,393	1,021	257	57
Muttra	246	47	...	...	9,630	737	176	14
Agra	362	99	88	...	16,596	1,230	170	7
Farukhabad	505	...	...	...	11,239	728	102	...
Mainpuri	261	207	56	127	11,568	748	123	123
Etawah	89	128	54	52	5,583	231	38	52
Etah	291	20	...	...	10,985	323	63	18
Jalaun	13	20	7	7	4,438	344	108	21
Jhansi	31	6	...	...	5,516	127	82	10
Lalitpur	14	...	37	...	2,681	56	19	4
Cawnpore	749	28	7	...	14,486	391	54	7
Fatehpur	359	98	...	...	10,151	162	33	4
Banda	418	5	23	...	10,929	1,020	148	35
Allahabad	765	122	74	7	19,396	2,504	509	305
Hamirpur	377	6	...	...	6,314	593	41	16
Jaunpur	114	...	...	...	8,974	683	68	3
Gorakhpur	159	141	78	84	18,319	1,861	540	210
Basti	268	106	32	46	8,580	926	442	254
Azamgarh	236	22	15	38	6,980	1,013	142	17
Mirzapur	259	91	99	29	10,546	1,034	219	47
Benares	383	95	3	60	13,507	1,195	260	51
Ghazipur	83	14	8	22	10,418	307	26	6
Ballia	52	10	27	...	4,079	176	16	1
Total	8,762	2,227	973	1,138	3,36,346	21,534	5,272	1,791

TABLE H.

Showing the total amount of fines imposed in the exercise of original jurisdiction by the Criminal Courts in 1881, *the amount realized, and the amount paid by way of compensation.*

Districts.	*Courts of Session.*			*Magistrates' Courts.*		
	Total amount of fines.	Amount realised.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realised.	Amount paid by way of compensation.
Dehra Dún	...	...	...	5,161	4,778	98
Sahâranpur	2,020	121	...	9,495	8,525	636
Muzaffarnagar	1,160	919	...	8,123	6,859	36
Meerut	2,155	371	295	19,000	14,010	407
Bulandshahr	206	196	100	10,022	7,898	202
Aligarh	100	...	...	8,890	8,374	327
Kumaun	...	...	...	6,529	5,418	863
Garhwal	...	...	...	1,910	1,720	134
Tarai	...	...	...	1,007	975	88
Bijnor	...	...	...	6,551	6,451	182
Muradabad	1,100	711	...	10,736	9,204	237
Budaun	110	46	...	8,935	7,530	342
Bareilly	150	40	...	13,367	8,590	413
Pilibhît	50	185	...	2,272	1,885	86
Shâhjahânpur	690	622	100	8,495	7,138	790
Muttra	...	...	...	6,618	5,880	58
Agra	50	...	...	18,196	13,222	928
Farukhabad	...	...	...	6,478	4,733	111
Mainpuri	250	...	...	10,545	9,347	187
Etawah	...	...	...	5,914	4,625	378
Etah	100	...	...	9,942	8,837	59
Jalaun	110	110	...	4,403	3,753	192
Jhânsi	103	14	...	4,103	3,056	367
Lalitpur	...	...	...	1,812	1,702	97
Cawnpore	50	...	...	15,401	10,955	454
Fatehpur	150	100	50	2,277	9,064	461
Bânda	310	477	...	7,692	7,388	1,085
Allahabad	...	...	...	11,390	9,907	243
Hamîrpur	5	8	...	4,689	4,559	197
Jaunpur	...	...	...	7,096	6,298	610
Gorakhpur	...	508	...	13,663	14,766	778
Basti	...	20	...	6,356	5,425	611
Azamgarh	200	...	...	8,524	6,107	165
Mirzapur	1,523	216	...	10,388	9,060	479
Benares	442	76	76	15,306	11,029	802
Ghâzipur	...	...	...	9,005	8,033	93
Ballia	2,000	...	...	5,566	5,344	289
Total ...	13,034	4,740	621	3,12,357	262,445	13,485
High Court	1,500	500	...	...	...	...
GRAND TOTAL ...	14,534	5,240	621	3,12,357	262,445	13,485

TABLE I.

Showing the number of appeals (cases) preferred, disposed of, and pending in the Courts of District Magistrates and of Sessions Judges in 1881.

Districts.	*Preferred.*		*Disposed of*		*Pending.*	
	Court of Session.	Court of District Magistrate.	Court of Session.	Court of District Magistrate.	Court of Session.	Court of District Magistrate.
Dehra Dún	17	3	9	3	...	...
Saharanpur	79	27	80	24	...	3
Muzaffarnagar	75	33	77	33	1	...
Meerut	192	61	192	61	...	...
Bulandshahr	43	95	42	94	1	1
Aligarh	92	156	92	156	...	...
Kumaun	97	15	96	15	3	...
Garhwal	5	20	6	22	...	...
Tarai	26	3	26	3	1	...
Bijnor	77	37	73	36	4	1
Muradabad	155	142	151	141	4	1
Budaun	38	24	36	24	2	...
Bareilly	85	71	84	71	1	...
Pilibhit	24	23	29	22	...	1
Sháhjahánpur	57	37	57	36	...	1
Muttra	37	44	31	44	6	...
Agra	59	73	51	73	8	...
Farukhabad	73	70	72	70	...	...
Mainpuri	45	38	43	37	2	1
Etawah	25	22	21	22	3	...
Etah	83	33	81	33	2	...
Jalaun	...	27	...	27	...	...
Jhansi	...	27	...	26	...	1
Lalitpur	...	1	...	1	...	...
Cawnpore	74	60	73	57	1	3
Fatehpur	72	41	71	40	1	1
Banda	54	57	57	57	...	...
Allahabad	87	54	84	54	3	...
Hamirpur	28	24	26	23	2	1
Jaunpur	32	106	31	106	1	...
Gorakhpur	48	126	48	119	...	7
Basti	82	60	81	57	1	3
Azamgarh	11	51	11	50	...	1
Mirzapur	70	19	69	18	1	1
Benares	32	198	32	195	...	3
Ghazipur	39	60	38	60	1	...
Ballia	23	19	23	19	...	...
Total ...	2,036	1,957	1,893	1,920	49	30

TABLE J.

Showing the number of applications for revision (cases) preferred, disposed of, and pending in the Courts of District Magistrates and of Sessions Judges in 1881.

Districts.	*Preferred.*		*Disposed of*		*Pending.*	
	Court of Session.	Court of District Magistrate.	Court of Session.	Court of District Magistrate.	Court of Session.	Court of District Magistrate.
Dehra Dún	4	1	4	1	...	...
Saháranpur	36	22	35	21	2	1
Muzaffarnagar	13	8	12	8	1	...
Meerut	21	20	21	20	...	...
Bulandshahr	16	20	16	19	...	1
Aligarh	33	47	31	47	2	...
Kumaun	...	...	...	...	...	...
Garhwal	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tarai	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bijnor	5	13	5	13	...	...
Muradabad	30	15	30	13	...	2
Budaun	18	20	18	20	...	...
Bareilly	16	17	12	17	4	...
Pilibhít	6	14	6	13	...	1
Shahjahánpur	9	30	9	30	...	...
Muttra	8	24	8	24	...	...
Agra	31	42	28	42	3	...
Farukhabad	31	46	31	46	...	...
Mainpuri	18	8	18	8	...	...
Etawah	...	9	...	9	...	...
Etah	9	7	9	7	...	...
Jalaun	54	1	54	1	...	...
Jhánsi	20	...	20	...	...	...
Lalitpur	58	...	56	...	2	...
Cawnpore	104	17	103	16	...	1
Fatehpur	47	14	45	14	2	...
Banda	28	8	29	8	...	...
Allahabad	20	56	17	56	...	...
Hamírpur	10	1	11	...	...	1
Jaunpur	24	28	24	28	...	...
Gorakhpur	60	63	59	59	1	4
Basti	47	63	46	62	1	1
Azamgarh	7	21	7	20	...	1
Mirzapur	29	16	29	14	...	2
Benares	57	34	56	33	1	1
Ghazipur	3	66	3	66	...	...
Ballia	4	3	4	3	...	...
Total ...	880	734	826	738	19	16

TABLE K.

Showing the number of persons whose cases came before the Courts of Sessions Judges and of District Magistrates on appeal or application for revision, with the result as affecting the orders of the Lower Courts.

Districts.	Appeals				Applications for revision.		
	Number of persons who appealed.	Ratio per cent. of persons appealing to persons in respect to whom appealable orders were passed.	Number of applicants in whose cases the sentence or orders were confirmed.	Ratio per cent. of affirmed to decided.	Number of applicants for revision.	Number of applications whose applications were rejected or in whose case orders were confirmed.	Ratio per cent. of rejected to disposed of.
Dehra Dún	30	14·	28	94·	10	9	90·
Saháranpur	107	9·	86	81·	110	55	31.
Muzaffarnagar	101	10	69	63·	33	27	72·
Meerut	379	17·	241	64·	57	42	51·
Bulandshahr	248	9·	136	56·	66	52	60·
Aligarh	420	18	267	64·	120	75	28
Kumaun	165	37·	129	80·	...	...	...
Garhwal	67	47·	46	70	...	...	...
Tarai	51	19	43	94·	...	...	...
Bijnor	150	14·	90	63·	24	13	...
Muradabad	446	16	291	67·	75	66	91·
Budaun	116	9·	76	67·	59	45	38·
Bareilly	267	11·	187	71·	59	50	93
Pilibhit	85	16·	46	57·	27	26	54·
Shahjahánpur	149	7·	86	59·	53	50	95·
Muttra	173	7·	112	70	35	31	35·
Agra	205	7·	147	75·	110	95	44·
Farukhabad	220	11·	138	61·	97	68	44·
Mainpuri	141	9	94	69·	45	41	72·
Etáwah	68	6·	29	45·	9	3	34·
Etah	179	10·	121	71·	28	20	66
Jalaun	65	7	42	65·	82	56	15·
Jhansi	73	6·	39	55·	30	26	40·
Lalitpur	1	1·	1	100·	70	50	8·
Cawnpore	211	7·	176	62·	156	181	74·
Fatehpur	194	9·	92	48·	91	70	81·
Banda	221	10·	147	67	62	51	31·
Allahabad	214	8·	115	55·	102	73	52·
Hamírpur	82	7·	38	53·	35	21	44·
Jaunpur	215	20·	134	63·	80	63	49·
Gorakhpur	260	12	131	52·	172	138	52·
Basti	270	20·	162	59·	169	135	82·
Azamgarh	127	7·	98	70·	29	22	79·
Mirzapur	118	12·	84	74·	72	61	70·
Benares	264	12·	171	65·	86	49	58·
Gházipur	171	9·	116	69·	102	76	2·
Ballia	57	10·	47	94	7	7	43·
Total	6,379	11·	4,950	62·	2,357	1,797	6

TABLE L.

Showing the number of appeals and applications for revision (cases) preferred, disposed of, and pending in the High Court in 1881.

Districts.	Appeals.			Applications for revision.		
	Preferred.	Disposed of	Pending.	Preferred.	Disposed of	Pending.
Agra	19	14	5	20	20	1
Aligarh	32	34	...	31	31	...
Allahabad	31	27	4	42	39	3
Azamgarh	22	23	...	7	9	...
Bareilly	21	19	4	4	4	...
Benares	31	30	1	38	38	2
Bánda	29	28	3	22	24	...
Cawnpore	57	50	7	52	48	5
Farukhabad	25	25	...	28	28	1
Gházipur	11	11	1	23	23	4
Gorakhpur	42	38	5	39	40	..
Jaunpur	19	20	...	26	25	2
Jhánsi	16	14	2	16	16	1
Kumaun	6	6	...	15	12	3
Meerut	34	32	3	54	54	3
Muradabad	55	43	13	11	10	1
Bijnor-Budaun	50	43	7	30	26	4
Mainpuri	29	31	2	17	17	1
Mirzapur	21	21	...	22	23	...
Saháranpur	33	26	8	40	33	8
Shálajhánpur	31	30	2	7	8	...
Lucknow	1	1	...	...	...	...
Total	615	566	67	544	528	39

TABLE M.

Showing the result, as affecting persons, of appeal and revision in the High Court in 1881.

Sessions Divisions.	*Appeals.*						*Applications for Revision.*					
	Rejected.	Sentence affirmed	Sentence reversed.	Sentence varied.	Further enquiry ordered.	Otherwise disposed of.	Rejected.	Order affirmed.	Order reversed.	Order varied.	Further enquiry ordered.	Otherwise disposed of.
Agra	...	11	7	7	5	...	5	6	3	3	10	...
Aligarh	2	41	1	4	...	...	8	23	22	5	15	...
Allahabad	14	26	7	2	5	...	19	30	18	14	9	...
Azamgarh	1	29	1	7	...	...	1	3	2	1	1	...
Bareilly	8	28	4	3	...	...	2	...	1	...	1	...
Benares	2	30	12	5	...	...	13	19	23	4	19	..
Banda	3	43	1	9	...	...	6	18	5	5	1	...
Cawnpore	8	48	17	25	...	...	5	55	15	10	30	...
Farukhabad	6	27	2	6	...	...	6	6	11	11	22	...
Ghazipur	5	3	10	...	...	...	2	20	12	4	7	...
Gorakhpur	1	46	...	11	...	...	5	17	18	13	16	...
Jaunpur	6	17	1	11	1	...	6	33	10	1	3	...
Jhansi	1	12	...	1	...	...	10	3	3	3	...	...
Kumaun	1	2	...	3	...	...	3	3	3	11	1	...
Meerut	10	25	5	4	1	...	23	34	10	7	...	...
Muradabad	6	72	1	7	2	...	4	5	2	2	...	...
Bijnor-Budaun	...	47	10	13	...	...	17	17	2	1	1	...
Mainpuri	5	25	6	7	...	...	4	16	...	11	...	...
Mirzapur	6	30	4	1	...	...	8	8	8	8	...	...
Saharanpur	3	30	12	1	...	...	9	48	37	7	9	...
Shábjahánpur	9	17	5	6	...	...	...	5	...	1	...	...
Lucknow	...	1	...	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total	97	609	106	133	14	...	156	369	205	122	145	...

TABLE N.

Criminal Business coming before the High Court, North-Western Provinces in 1881.

Description of cases.	Remaining from 1880.	Filed in 1881.	Disposed of in 1881.	Remaining at the close of 1881.
ORIGINAL BUSINESS.	...	7	7	...
APPEALS.				
By persons convicted, — From the orders of Deputy Commissioners acting under section 36 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.	...	11	11	...
By persons convicted, — Sessions Judges	18	604	555	67
By the Local Government, — From the Judgments of acquittal of all Courts.	...	13	11	2
Total	18	635	584	69
REFERENCES.				
Cases in which sentence of death passed by Sessions Judges was referred for confirmation under section 287 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.	2	72	70	4
Cases in which proceedings held against persons who cannot understand them are referred for orders under section 186 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.	...	1	1	...
Total	2	73	71	4
REVISION.				
Cases referred for revision by District Magistrates and Sessions Judges under section 296 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.	11	178	179	10
Cases dealt with by the Court under section 294 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.				
(1) Cases decided by Magistrates	8	269	257	20
(2) Ditto Sessions Judges	4	97	92	9
Total	23	544	523	39
Full Bench references	...	2	...	2
GRAND TOTAL	43	1,254	1,183	114

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. 1.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing the number of Judicial Divisions and the number of Officers exercising original or appellate jurisdiction in the North-Western Provinces on the last day of the year 1881, *with the cost of tribunals.*

Name of Province.	Area.	Population.	Number of divisions for Courts under Chief Court, but superior to Chief Courts of districts.	Number of districts.	Number of sub-districts.	TOTAL NUMBER OF OFFICERS EXERCISING ORIGINAL OR APPELLATE JURISDICTION.					TOTAL NUMBER OF CASES DECIDED.				Total receipts of the Courts.	Total charges of the Courts.	Remarks.
						Judges of Chief Court of Province.	Judges of other Courts superior to Chief District Courts.	Judges of Chief Courts of districts.	Judges of District Courts other than Chief Courts.	Judges of other subordinate Courts.	*Original.*		*Appeals.*				
											Regular.	Miscellaneous.	Regular.	Miscellaneous.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Territory in the North-Western Provinces subject to the Criminal jurisdiction of the High Court.	81,748	30,781,204	21	37	178	5	21	37	...	496	91,333	4,740	3,822	1,564	3,87,902	15,86,085	
Total	81,748	30,781,204	21	37	178	5	21	37	...	496	91,333	4,740	3,822	1,564	3,87,902	15,86,085	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. 2.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement of offences reported and of persons tried, convicted and acquitted of each class of offence in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1881.

Description of offence.	Number of offences reported.	Number of cases returned as true.	Number of cases brought to trial during the year.	Number of persons.					Remarks.
				Under trial during the year, including pending from previous year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Died, escaped or transferred to another Province.	Remaining under trial.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Offences against the state, Chapter VI. of the Indian Penal Code ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Ditto relating to the Army and Navy Chapter VII ...	2	2	2	3	...	3	...	...	
Ditto against the public tranquillity ditto VIII ...	1,171	1,078	1,045	5,614	1,079	4,416	3	116	
Ditto by or relating to public servants ditto IX ...	276	190	176	235	128	103	...	4	
Contempts of the lawful authority of public servants ditto X ...	2,600	2,271	2,310	4,914	1,388	3,504	4	18	
False evidence and offences against public justice ditto XI ...	1,382	1,148	1,089	1,790	778	955	5	52	
Offences relating to coin and Government Stamps ditto XII ...	178	143	138	177	78	97	...	2	
Ditto relating to weights and measures ditto XIII ...	178	162	148	180	50	129	...	1	
Ditto affecting the public health, safety, convenience, decency and morals. ditto XIV ...	1,593	1,269	884	3,148	478	2,647	1	22	
Ditto relating to religion ... ... ditto XV ...	124	57	59	157	109	48	...	...	
Offences affecting the human body, Chapter XVI. — Offences affecting life	1,632	1,456	1,343	1,903	531	1,200	44	128	
Causing of miscarriage; injuries to unborn children; exposure of infants; and the concealment of births.	288	191	162	226	72	146	1	7	
Hurt	46,002	36,931	14,699	26,529	16,583	9,679	49	218	
Wrongful restraint and wrongful confinement ...	2,291	1,097	1,052	1,638	1,233	378	10	17	
Criminal force and assault	31,865	39,709	11,244	18,736	14,525	4,097	85	79	
Kidnapping, forcible abduction, slavery and forced labour,	294	212	209	378	179	169	17	13	
Rape	441	234	193	222	162	55	2	3	
Unnatural offence	119	87	73	96	37	58	...	1	
Offences against property Chapter XVII. — Theft	38,099	30,704	13,793	20,178	5,190	14,747	65	176	
Extortion	2,910	1,954	384	614	478	125	1	10	
Robbery and dacaity	811	266	298	772	316	368	6	82	
Criminal misappropriation of property	1,809	1,366	522	621	381	238	...	2	
Criminal breach of trust	1,551	830	784	994	542	429	1	22	
Receiving of stolen property	4,840	4,524	4,214	7,402	1,709	5,554	46	93	
Cheating	2,140	1,033	648	990	675	290	7	18	
Fraudulent deeds and disposition of property ...	33	22	16	30	17	13	...	...	
Mischief	18,822	14,542	6,679	11,773	9,181	2,526	6	60	
Criminal trespass	33,201	28,911	6,576	11,092	5,446	5,512	28	106	
Offences relating to documents and to trade or property marks. Chapter XVIII ...	249	137	123	209	147	54	...	8	
Criminal breach of contracts of service ... ditto XIX ...	217	145	56	155	47	106	...	2	
Offences relating to marriage ... ... ditto XX ...	5,306	2,801	1,959	2,508	2,113	362	13	20	
Defamation ... ... ditto XXI ...	738	537	189	291	201	88	...	2	
Criminal intimidation, insult and annoyance ditto XXII ...	3,980	3,481	538	908	554	346	...	8	
Offences under the Code of Criminal Procedure and under special and local laws,	22,023	21,403	21,068	41,697	7,386	34,177	26	108	
Total	227,165	198,893	92,673	166,180	7,1793	92,619	370	1,398	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. 3.—(CRIMINAL).

Statement of Miscellaneous Proceedings under the Code of Criminal Procedure in the North-Western Provinces during 1881.

Nature of proceedings.	Total number of cases before the Courts during the year.	Number of persons concerned.	Number of persons discharged.	Number of persons convicted.	REMARKS.
1	2	3	4	5	6
1 Frivolous or vexatious complaints summarily dealt with under Chapter XVI., section 209.	252	286	7	279	
2 Proceedings against witnesses under Chapter XXVI. ...	31	59	30	29	
3 Forfeiture of bail or recognizance under Chapter XXVIII.	58	71	8	62	1 Remaining.
4 Non-attendance of Jurors or Assessors, Chapter XXIX. section 414.	39	43	7	34	2 Ditto.
5 Contempts of Court under Chapter XXXII.	75	129	39	90	
6 Proceedings under Chapter XXXVII. to prevent breach of the peace.	1,188	3,921	1,061	2,854	6 Ditto.
7 Security for good behaviour under Chapter XXXVIII. ...	896	1,818	588	1,189	41 Ditto.
8. Proceedings against local nuisances Chapter XXXIX. ...	1,333	6,221	4,230	1,756	235 Ditto.
9 Possession Chapter XL.	198	414	234	175	5 Ditto.
10 Maintenance Chapter XLI.	815	723	492	226	5 Ditto.
Total ...	4,885	13,685	6,696	6,694	295 Ditto.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. 4.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing the general result of criminal trials in the tribunals of various classes in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1881.

Class of Courts.	Total number of persons under trial.	Persons whose cases were disposed of.					Persons remaining under trial at the end of the year.	Number of cases disposed of during the year.	Average number of days during which each case lasted.	Number of witnesses examined.	Remarks.
		Died, escaped or transferred to another province.	Discharged or acquitted.	Convicted.							
				On regular trial.	On summary trial.	Committed or referred.					
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Village officers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Subordinate Magistrates. — Special Magistrates under Section 42 ...	6,473	17	2,889	3,527	...	25	15	3,494	3	8,728	
Subordinate Magistrates. — Honorary Magistrates sitting singly ...	10,714	3	5,172	5,464	...	60	15	5,337	4	17,471	
Subordinate Magistrates. — Stipendiary Magistrates sitting singly. — 2nd and 3rd class,	67,972	95	32,623	33,734	...	1,245	275	38,005	4	112,184	
Subordinate Magistrates. — Stipendiary Magistrates sitting singly. — 1st class ...	70,214	203	25,617	26,012	15,238	2,365	779	41,109	5	173,432	
Subordinate Magistrates. — Benches of Magistrates	6,224	...	2,809	3,396	...	14	5	3,431	2	5,367	
Chief Magistrates of Districts	5,819	29	1,962	1,357	1,637	291	43	3,223	6	13,624	
Courts of Session	2,836	23	715	1,748	...	84	266	1,417	32	9,964	
Superior Courts	12	...	6	6	...	...	...	7	56	73	
Total ...	170,264	370	71,793	75,744	16,875	4,084	1,398	96,073	5	340,843	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. 5.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing the punishments inflicted by the various criminal tribunals in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1881.

Class of tribunals.	Persons sentenced to										Detail of Punishment.															
				Imprisonment.		Forfeiture of property.					Fine.									Imprisonment.				Whipped.			
	Death.	Transportation.	Penal servitude.	Rigorous.	Simple.		Fine.	Whipping.	Persons ordered to find or give security or recognizance to keep the peace, or sureties for good behaviour.	Persons imprisoned in default of security for good behaviour.	Rs. 10 and under.	Rs. 50 and under.	Rs. 100 and under.	Rs. 500 and under.	Rs. 1,000 and under.	Above Rs. 1,000.	Total amount of fines imposed during the year.	Total amount of fines realized during the year.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	15 days and under.	6 months and under.	2 years and under.	7 years and under.	Above 7 years.	10 stripes and under.	20 stripes and under.	30 stripes and under.	Number of boys whose sentences were commuted to detention in a Reformatory School.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Village Officers																												
Subordinate Magistrates — Special Magistrates under section 42	...	...	..	380	90	...	2,355	40	9	1	4,513	1,975	200	200	...	...	6,888	6,043	411	126	294	50	...	...	29	25	1	...
Subordinate Magistrates — Honorary Magistrates sitting singly	...	...	...	545	32	...	3,964	112	78	9	6,799	3,108	330	...	...	...	10,237	10,029	250	193	342	42	...	...	54	48	18	...
Subordinate Magistrates — Stipendiary Magistrates sitting singly, 2nd and 3rd class,	...	...	..	6,596	404	...	25,304	1,128	...	...	62,011	27,018	1,050	1,000	...	...	91,979	85,797	3,021	2,852	4,136	...	...	...	579	468	134	...
Subordinate Magistrates — Stipendiary Magistrates sitting singly, 1st class	...	...	..	14,864	763	..	17,782	3,829	3,624	493	59,230	78,595	21,617	18,206	2,090	...	179,648	141,958	8,881	1,709	8,715	5,210	5	...	1,458	1,964	790	...
Subordinate Magistrates — Benches of Magistrates	...	...	...	228	12	..	3,661	35	...	...	3,070	825	...	...	...	...	3,895	3,448	64	115	125	...	.	...	23	14	...	...
Chief Magistrates of districts	...	...	...	1,239	74	...	1,665	463	332	136	5,685	7,728	2,879	2,870	548	...	19,710	15,170	858	103	656	523	31	...	169	244	133	...
Courts of Session	84	224	...	1,336	11	...	23	44	...	1	71	1,708	1,475	5,980	1,800	2,000	13,034	4,740	621	8	155	330	807	107	7	23	36	...
Superior Courts	...	...	1	3	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	500	1,000	...	1,500	500	...	...	3	1	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	84	224	1	25,251	1,387	..	54,755	5,651	4,043	640	141,379	120,957	28,451	28,756	5,348	2,000	326,891	26,,7685	14,106	5,106	14,426	6,156	843	107	2,319	2,796	1,107	..

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. 6.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing the result of appeal and revision in criminal cases in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1881.

Tribunals.	Number of persons.											Average number of days during which each appeal lasted.	Remarks.
	Total number of appellants and applicants for revision before the Courts.	Died, escaped or transferred to another Province.	Appeals or applications rejected.	Sentence or order confirmed.	Sentence enhanced.	Sentence reduced or otherwise altered.	Sentence reversed.	Proceedings quashed.	New trial or further enquiry ordered.	Referred for revision to the High Court.	Pending trial.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Appeals.													
To Chief Magistrates of Districts	3,445	...	266	1,800	85	369	811	7	47	1	59	8	
To Courts of Session	2,934	27	532	1,452	88	290	463	7	3	...	72	32	
Superior Courts ... by persons convicted	1,088	...	97	619	30	108	109	...	14	...	111	29	
Superior Courts ... by Government from judgments of acquittal ...	13	...	...	3	1	...	6	...	1	...	2	126	
Total	7,480	27	895	3,874	204	767	1,389	14	65	1	244	15	
Revision.													
By Chief Magistrates of Districts	998	...	418	334	1	25	29	2	91	73	25	10	
By Courts of Session	1,359	...	805	240	2	18	29	7	38	190	30	10	
By Superior Courts	1,095	...	156	380	48	74	215	...	147	...	75	25	
Total	3,452	...	1,379	954	51	117	273	9	276	263	130	21	
GRAND TOTAL	10,932	27	2,274	4,828	255	884	1,662	23	341	264	374	17	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT No. 13.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing use of Juries and Assessors in the Criminal Courts in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1881.

Classes of Courts in which Jurors or Assessors are employed.	Established or average number of Jury or Assessors in each case, and prescribed qualifications.	Number of cases tried by Jury.	Number of cases tried with Assessors.	Jury trials.					Assessors' trials.			Remarks.
				Cases in which the Judge approved of the verdict.	Cases in which the Judge did not approve of the verdict		Number of persons of the verdict in respect to whom the Judge disapproved		Number of cases in which Judge agreed with Assessors.	Number of cases in which Judge differed from.		
					Wholly.	Partially.	Whose cases he referred under section 263, C. P. C.	Whose cases he did not refer under section 263, C. P. C.		One Assessor.	Both Assessors.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
II.—CRIMINAL COURTS.												
Magistrates'-Courts under chapter XXXIX, C. P. C. — Jurors ...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	No jury appointed.
Courts of Session ... ... — Jurors ... / Assessors ...	Number of Jurors 7. Number of Assessors 2 or more. Qualifications as described in sections 404, 405, & 406, of the Code of Criminal Procedure.	...	1,379	...	...	...	...	...	1,070	47	262	
High Court, Original Criminal Jurisdiction. — Jurors ...	Nine Jurors. Qualifications as described in sections 404, 405, & 406, of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and section 51 of the High Courts' Criminal Procedure Act, 1875.	7	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total ...		7	1,379	7	...	...	...	...	1,070	47	262	

CRIMINAL STATEMENTS

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DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR 1882.

THE number of offences reported is said to have been 254,048 against 227,165 in 1881 and 167,899 in 1880. In the note on the administration of criminal justice in 1881 it was explained that "offences reported" in that year could not properly be compared with those of previous years, because, as a rule, only offences which were investigated by the police or came before a Magistrate used to be shown in the annual returns as "reported," whereas the Resolution of the Government of India, Home, Revenue, and Agricultural Department No. $\frac{3}{91\text{-}102}$, dated the 27th January, 1880, had required all offences, cognizable and non-cognizable, of which information was given, complaint made, or cognizance taken, to be so shown.

In practice, it is a matter of no small difficulty to obtain accurate information respecting "offences reported," as they are now defined, and the increase in their number in 1882 is probably due as much to stricter observance of the directions of paragraph 8 of this Court's Circular Order No. 6 of 1880 (page 63, Criminal Rules and Orders) as to more accurate registration of reports by the police, to which some Magistrates attribute the larger number of offences reported in their districts.

2. With the increase in the number of offences reported, there was, of course, an increase in the number of "cases returned as true," that is to say, of cases in which the complaints were not dismissed under section 147, Act X., 1872, or in which Magistrates did not declare that the charges were false and that the offences never occurred.

The number of cases returned as true was 210,387 against 198,893 in 1881.

3. The number of cases brought to trial was 98,259 against 92,673 in the previous year.

The increase mainly occurs under the heads of cases under special and local laws, criminal trespass, criminal force and assault, mischief, offences against the lawful authority of public servants and against public justice, hurt, and offences against the public health. Prosecutions for such offences seem always to increase as serious crime diminishes.

There was a falling-off of 682 cases under the head of theft, and of 158 under that of receiving stolen property.

4. The number of persons under trial was 179,031 against 166,180 in 1881, most of the increase occurring under the heads of criminal force and assault, mischief, and special and local laws.

5. Of the accused whose cases were disposed of, 46 per cent. were acquitted or discharged. In 1880 the percentage was shown as 27 only. But there can be no useful comparison between the two years. During 1881 and 1882 persons, withdrawal from the prosecution of whom under section 188, 205, 208 or 210, Act X., 1872, operated, by section 188 or 212, as an acquittal, have been shown as acquitted. Up to the end of 1880 such persons were, as a rule, not even registered as under trial.

The more accurate system of registration which has been adopted under the Resolution of the Government of India, of January, 1880, has rendered previous statistics of acquittals and discharges useless for comparative purposes.

6. The number of persons convicted was 95,144 against 92,619 in 1881. Convictions for breaches of special and local laws were most numerous; next come those for theft; and then those for voluntarily causing hurt.

Of persons convicted under special and local laws, 12,382 were convicted under section 34 of the Police Act, 1861; 7,054 under the Municipalities Act, 1873; 3,779 under the Canal and Drainage Act, 1873; 2,867 under the Cantonments Act, 1880; 1,526 under the Public Gambling Act, 1867; 1,294 under the Cattle-trespass Act, 1871; 1,015 under the Excise Act, 1881; 645 under the Arms Act, 1878; 578 under the Inland Customs Act, 1875, and Salt Act, 1882; 518 under the Railway Act, 1879; 397 under the Female Infanticide Act, 1870; 396 under the Stamp Act, 1879; 363 under the Opium Acts of 1857 and 1878; 119 under the Stage Carriages Act, 1861; and 92 under the Ferries Act, 1878.

Of persons under trial under the several Acts, 86 per cent. were convicted under the Police Act; 82 per cent. under the Municipalities Act; 80 per cent under the Canal and Drainage Act; 80 per cent. under the Cantonments Act; 82 per cent. under the Public Gambling Act; 41 per cent. under the Cattle-trespass Act; 77 per cent. under the Excise Act: 83 per cent. under the Arms Act; 90 per cent. under the Inland Customs and Salt Acts; 78 per cent. under the Railway Act; 78 per cent. under the Female Infanticide Act; 89 per cent under the Stamp Act; 50 per cent. under the Opium Act; 75 per cent. under the Stage Carriages Act; and 67 per cent. under the Ferries Act.

Convictions under the Police Act were most numerous in Benares (1,522) and Gházipur (1,165); and under the Municipalities Act in Allahabad (1,600), Cawnpur (704), and Moradabad (682).

The increase in the number of convictions under the Canal and Drainage Act is attributed to an increase in the area under canal irrigation. 664 persons were convicted under that Act in Etáwah, 655 in Mainpuri, and 540 in Meerut.

Under the Cantonments Act more persons were convicted of breaches of rules at Landour than in any other cantonment in the North-Western Provinces.

Under the Public Gambling Act, prosecutions were most numerous in the Agra, Benares, Gházipur and Mirzapur districts, and most successful in Dehra Dún, Bulandshahr, Budaon, Bareilly, Gházipur and Allahabad.

Half the prosecutions instituted under the Cattle-trespass Act are withdrawn.

The number of cases brought to trial under the Excise Act was largest in Gorakhpur (118), Fatehpur (72), Bareilly (70) and Azamgarh (61), where the convictions obtained were 130, 81, 76 and 64 respectively.

Of the 645 convictions under the Arms Act, no fewer than 260 were obtained in the Kumaon district alone, where every one under trial under the Act was convicted.

Convictions under the Inland Customs and Salt Acts were obtained in twenty-five districts and were most numerous in Cawnpore and Etah.

In Cawnpore 106 persons were convicted of offences against the Railway Act: in Agra 79, in Benares 68, in Allahabad 63, and in Farukhabad 54. The remaining 148 convictions were obtained in fifteen other districts.

Of the 397 convictions under the Female Infanticide Act, 197 were had in the Azamgarh district alone.

Convictions under the Stamp Act were most numerous in Mirzapur (56), Gorakhpur (55) and Jhánsi (53).

The very low proportion of persons convicted to persons prosecuted under the Opium Act is due to the acquittal of no fewer than 204 out of 216 persons who were brought to trial under that Act in the Sháhjahánpur district. Of the 204 who were acquitted, the prosecution was withdrawn in the case of 162.

7. The falling-off in the number of cases under the Code of Criminal Procedure, and in the number of persons concerned in them, is nominal, and is due to the practice of registering proceedings against nuisances, which obtains in the Lower Provinces, having been extended to these Provinces. The result is that the number of cases under Chapter XXXIX., Act X., 1872, appears as 137 only, and of persons concerned in them as 352 only, against 1,333 and 6,221, respectively, in 1881. Cases in which the person against whom the order was directed neither obeyed it nor appeared in Court, either in person or by agent, and thus incurred the penalty provided in section 525, Act X., 1872, and cases in which the person simply obeyed the order by removing the nuisance complained of, have been excluded from the returns for 1882.

8. The number of original criminal cases disposed of by Benches of Magistrates was 2,713 ; by unpaid Magistrates sitting singly, 13,541 ; by stipendiary Magistrates, 83,260 ; by Courts of Sessions, 1,405 ; and by the High Court, 7.

Shaikh Sharf-ud-din, Honorary Magistrate, 1st class, Budaun, disposed of 442 cases ; Mr. E. J. Churcher, Honorary Magistrate, 1st class, Basti, of 408 ; Dr. Lazarus, Honorary Magistrate, 1st class, Benares, of 309 ; and Babu Durga Prasad, Honorary Magistrate, 2nd class, Gorakhpur, of 400. These gentlemen all took a substantial share in the criminal administration of the districts in which they reside.

2,508 persons were accused in the 1,405 cases of which Courts of Sessions disposed, and 68 percent. of them were convicted. At the close of the year fewer cases were pending in these Courts, and fewer persons under trial in them, than at the close of 1881.

In the seven cases disposed of by the High Court four persons were convicted and five acquitted.

9. The average duration of original cases calculated from date of apprehension or attendance on summons or otherwise was between four and five days in Courts of Magistrates, and, calculated from date of commitment, 35 days in Courts of Session and 38 days in the High Court.

The only Courts in which excessive duration has become chronic are those of the 1st class Magistrates of Farukhabad, and the Court has suggested to the District Magistrate that he should apply to the Government for the addition of another 1st class Magistrate to his staff.

10. The total number of witnesses who attended the Courts was 384,637 against 381,276 in 1881 ; namely, 121 the High Court, against 133 ; 13,710 the Courts of Session, against 13,100 ; and 370,806 the Courts of Magistrates, against 368,043.

11. Of the 13,710 witnesses who attended Courts of Session, 9,265, or 68 per cent., were discharged on the first day ; 2,198, or 16 per cent., on the second day ; 1,018 or 7 per cent., on the third day ; and 1,229, or 9 per cent., after the third day. In the previous year the percentages were 67, 17, 7 and 9 respectively.

Of the 370,806 witnesses who attended Courts of Magistrates, 342,059, or 92 per cent., were discharged on the first day ; 23,496, or 6 per cent., on the second day ; 3,911 on the third day ; and 1,340 after the third day.

12. All witnesses who attended the High Court received their expenses. Of those who attended Courts of Session, 73 per cent. received their expenses ; and of those who attended Courts of Magistrates, less than 7 per cent.

Of the witnesses who attended Courts of Magistrates, 43 per cent. received their expenses in Hamirpur, 18 per cent. in Shahjahánpur, and 13 per cent. in Moradabad, Jhánsi and Cawnpore : while 1 per cent. or less received them in Kumaun, Jaunpur, Benares and Gházipur.

The sum paid to witnesses was Rs. 18,146, of which Rs. 1,931 were expended in the High Court, Rs. 7,049 in Courts of Session, and Rs. 9,166 in Courts of Magistrates.

Each witness to whom payment was made received on the average Rs. 15-15-4 in the High Court; Re. 0-11-4 in Courts of Session; and Re. 0-5-11 in Courts of Magistrates.

The average sum paid to each witness to whom any payment was made varied in Courts of Magistrates from Rs. 2-2-0 in Garhwál, Re. 1-8-8 in Dehra Dún and Re. 1-0-8 in Agra to Re. 0-3-7 in Etah, Re. 0-3-6 in Mainpuri and Re. 0-3-4 in Bijnor.

Of the witnesses discharged after examination, 69 per cent. were examined, and of the sum paid in Courts of Magistrates to witnesses, 41 per cent. were awarded, by native Magistrates.

Orders have recently been issued by the High Court, after communication with the Government, with the object of securing more equable working of the rules as to the expenses of complainants and witnesses.

13. Notwithstanding the larger number of persons convicted, fewer persons were sentenced to death, to transportation, to rigorous imprisonment and to whipping than in 1881. In not one of the preceding ten years were whippings so few as in 1882, and in only one of those years were fines so numerous.

14. The decrease in the number of whippings is, of course, directly attributable to the Resolution of the Government of India, Home Department, No. $\frac{3}{41\text{-}54}$, which was published early in January, 1882, and made known to the Courts by the end of that month.

Of the 4,687 persons who were whipped, 526, or 11 per cent., received five stripes and under; 1,133, or 24 per cent., from six to ten stripes; 1,179, or 25 per cent., from eleven to fifteen stripes: 869, or 19 per cent., from sixteen to twenty stripes; 291, or 6 per cent., from twenty-one to twenty-five stripes; and 689, or 15 per cent., from twenty-six to thirty stripes.

3,993, or 85 per cent., of the whippings were awarded on first convictions, and 694, or 15 per cent., on second convictions.

3,354, or 72 per cent., of the whippings inflicted were awarded for theft; 648, or 14 per cent., for dishonest receiving of stolen property; and 526, or 11 per cent, for lurking house-trespass and house-breaking.

121 juveniles were whipped for offences other than those specified in sections 3 and 4 of the Whipping Act.

In order to ascertain the "total number of other punishments" to be shown in Part IV. of the statement showing particulars of whippings inflicted (Judicial Statement 5A), the Court found it necessary to call on District Magistrates and Sessions Judges for special statements of the convictions under each section of the Penal Code or other Act under which sentence of whipping may be passed, and of the number of juveniles convicted of any offence. With the aid of these statistics, the "total number of other punishments" was determined.

Whipping, it will be observed, was awarded in 22 per cent. of the cases in which it would have been legal sentence.

15. The number of persons fined was 64,227; the amount of the fines imposed, Rs. 3,21,413; and the amount realised Rs. 2,79,099.

The percentage of fines realised to fines imposed (87) was larger than in any one of the preceding twenty years. The increase in the number of prosecutions under special and local laws is the principal cause of the number of persons fined being so much larger in 1882 than in 1881.

16. The number of persons from whom recognizance or security to keep the peace was required was 2,736; and of those required to furnish security for good behaviour under sections 504 and 505, Act X., 1872, 1,005. Recognizance or security to keep the peace was required from 390 persons in Fatehpur, 345 in Bánda,

202 in Sháhjahánpur, 189 in Gházipur, and 164 in Budaon: in Lalitpur from no one, in Azamgarh from only one person, and in Saháranpur from two only. Security for good behaviour was required from 99 persons in Gorakhpur, 89 in Aligarh, and 81 in Budaon: in Garhwál from no one, in Farukhabad from two persons, and in each of the districts of Basti and Azamgarh from four persons only.

646 persons were imprisoned in default of furnishing the security required for their good behaviour.

17. The number of appeals (cases) preferred to District Magistrates was 1,872, and of those disposed of, 1,824. Of the 3,159 appellants whose appeals were disposed of during the year, the orders of Subordinate Magistrates were confirmed in their entirety in respect of 1,747, or 55 per cent.

The number of appeals (cases) preferred to Courts of Session was 2,571; and of those disposed of, 2,422. Of the 3,384 appellants whose appeals were disposed of during the year, the orders of Magistrates were confirmed in their entirety in respect of 1,780, or 52 per cent.

Of the 822 convicts whose appeals to the High Court were disposed of during the year, the Court confirmed the orders of Courts of Session in their entirety in respect of 502, or 61 per cent.

Of the fourteen persons against whose acquittal appeals preferred by the Government were disposed of by the High Court during the year, one was convicted and nine more were ordered to be retried. Thus, the Government was successful in 71 per cent. of its appeals under section 272, Act X., 1872.

No fewer than 61 of the 199 persons whose appeals remained pending at the close of the year in Courts of Session were before the Sessions Judge of Meerut.

The average duration of appeals was 9 days in Courts of Magistrates, 15 days in Courts of Session, and 32 days in the High Court.

18. Revision cases were more numerous than in 1881, and the arrears heavier at the close of the year. Of the 104 cases remaining undisposed of at the close of the year in Courts of Session, 51, in which 89 applicants were concerned, were pending before the Sessions Judge of Aligarh.

19. Columns 16 and 17 of Judicial Statement 1 have been left blank, for reasons already stated in paragraph 22 of the Note on the Administration of Civil Justice in 1882. The receipts, including process-fees, other court-fees, fines, penalties of forfeited bonds, and sale-proceeds of property disposed of under sections 172, 354 and 417, Act X., 1872, and section 27, Act V., 1861, are reported to have been Rs. 3,93,625—a sum less than one-fourth of the expenditure incurred on the maintenance of Sessions Courts and Courts of Magistrates.

The establishment of the Bandih tahsil in the Ballia district increased the number of sub-districts, shown in column 6 of the same statement, from 178 in 1881 to 179 in 1882.

Of the 515 Magistrates shown in column 11 of the statement, 137 were of the first class, 141 of the second and 237 of the third.

20. During the year rules were issued by the High Court regarding fines, deposits, penalties and costs, and the record and payment of expenses of complainants and witnesses.

Since the close of the year the Court has published a complete edition of its Criminal Rules and Orders.

S. HARVEY JAMES,
Registrar.

23rd August, 1883.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT 1.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing the number of Judicial Divisions and the number of Officers exercising original or appellate jurisdiction in the North-Western Provinces on the last day of the year 1882, *with the cost of tribunals.*

Name of province.	Area.	Population.	Number of divisions for Courts under Chief Court, but superior to Chief Courts of Districts.	Number of districts.	Number of sub-districts.	Total number of officers exercising original or appellate jurisdiction.					Total number of cases decided.				Total receipts of the Courts.	Total charges of the Courts.	Remarks.
						Judges of Chief Court of Province.	Judges of other Courts superior to Chief District Courts.	Judges of Chief Courts of districts.	Judges of District Courts other than Chief Courts.	Judges of other subordinate Courts.	Original.		Appeals.				
											Regular.	Miscellaneous.	Regular.	Miscellaneous			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	Sq. ml.																
Territory in the North-Western Provinces subject to the Criminal Jurisdiction of the High Court	81,865	32,720,128	21	37	179	5	21	37	...	515	97,666	3,260	4,816	2,214	...	...	
Total	81,865	32,720,128	21	37	179	5	21	37	...	515	97,666	3,260	4,816	2,214	...	...	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT 2.—(CRIMINAL)

Statement of offences reported and of persons tried, convicted and acquitted of each class of offence in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1882.

Description of offence.	Number of offences reported.	Number of cases returned as true.	Number of cases brought to trial during the year.	Number of persons.					Remarks
				Under trial during the year, including pending from previous year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Died, escaped or transferred to another province.	Remaining under trial.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Offences against the State, Chapter VI. of the Indian Penal Code	2	2	2	2	1	...	...	1	
Ditto relating to the Army and Navy, Chapter VII.	2	1	1	2	...	...	...	2	
Ditto against the public tranquillity, ditto VIII.	1,248	1,175	1,066	5,905	1,362	4,347	24	172	
Ditto by or relating to public servants, ditto IX.	279	193	193	278	157	113	1	7	
Contempts of the lawful authority of public servants, Chapter X.	2,916	2,622	2,603	6,208	1,684	4,490	3	31	
False evidence and offences against public justice, ditto XI	1,623	1,374	1,306	2,628	810	1,137	7	74	
Offences relating to coin and Government stamps, ditto XII.	126	116	94	122	48	71	...	3	
Ditto relating to weights and measures, ditto XIII.	213	183	180	266	95	169	2	...	
Ditto affecting the public health, safety, convenience, decency and morals, Chapter XIV. ...	1,451	1,255	1,073	3,921	563	3,334	...	24	
Ditto relating to religion, Chapter XV.	162	87	80	191	132	54	...	5	
Offences affecting the human body, Chapter XVI. — Offences affecting life	1,553	1,431	1,227	1,743	598	1,062	14	69	
Causing of miscarriage; injuries to unborn children; exposure of infants; and the concealment of births	219	171	147	191	70	110	1	10	
Hurt	47,954	39,868	15,027	26,792	17,978	8,499	107	213	
Wrongful restraint and wrongful confinement	2,395	1,227	1,155	1,890	1,494	368	6	22	
Criminal force and assault	41,318	32,852	12,417	22,228	17,230	4,871	24	103	
Kidnapping, forcible abduction, slavery and forced labour ...	408	214	210	388	271	103	8	6	
Rape	429	245	184	225	144	72	1	8	
Unnatural offence	134	103	84	102	57	43	1	1	
Offences against property, Chapter XVII. — Theft	40,456	34,678	13,111	18,726	5,336	13,127	72	191	
Extortion	1,177	411	259	455	363	89	...	3	
Robbery and dacoity	871	394	317	929	481	366	11	71	
Criminal misappropriation of property	1,830	1,406	563	897	469	362	...	6	
Criminal breach of trust	1,494	838	778	972	519	429	5	19	
Receiving of stolen property	4,264	4,330	4,056	6,427	1,698	4,553	53	123	
Cheating	2,427	2,404	706	1,012	761	240	...	11	
Fraudulent deeds and disposition of property	44	22	11	15	11	4	...	...	
Mischief	21,749	16,714	7,344	13,095	9,844	3,157	23	71	
Criminal trespass	37,657	32,702	7,778	11,853	6,537	5,133	14	169	
Offences relating to documents and to trade or property marks, Chapter XVIII.	251	156	121	239	178	48	3	10	
Criminal breach of contracts of service, ditto XIX.	183	75	53	126	66	59	...	1	
Offences relating to marriage, ditto XX.	5,829	3,229	1,932	2,557	2,107	406	10	34	
Defamation, ditto XXI.	1,010	772	210	371	287	66	1	17	
Criminal intimidation, insult and annoyance, ditto XXII.	5,881	5,330	561	938	651	285	1	1	
Under the Code of Criminal Procedure and offences against special and local laws ...	26,543	24,007	23,410	47,997	9,716	37,977	40	264	
Total	2,54,048	2,10,387	98,259	1,79,031	81,713	95,144	432	1,742	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT 3.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement of miscellaneous proceedings under the Code of Criminal Procedure in the North-Western Provinces during 1882.

Nature of proceedings.	Total number of cases before the Courts during the year.	Number of persons concerned.	Number of persons discharged.	Number of persons convicted.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
1. Frivolous or vexatious complaints summarily dealt with under chapter XVI. section 209.	213	214	2	212	
2. Proceedings against witnesses under chapter XXVI.	1	2	....	2	
3. Forfeiture of bail or recognizance under chapter XXVIII.	65	88	8	80	
4. Non-attendance of jurors or assessors, chapter XXIX, section 414 ...	36	44	14	29	1 remaining.
5. Contempts of Court under chapter XXXII.	66	96	9	87	
6. Proceedings under chapter XXXVII. to prevent breach of the peace ...	955	3,819	1,055	2,736	28 ditto.
7. Security for good behaviour under chapter XXXVIII.	841	1,601	541	1,005	50 remaining. 5 absconded.
8. Proceedings against local nuisances, chapter XXXIX.	137	352	19	333	
9. Possession, chapter XL.	135	353	180	161	12 ditto.
10. Maintenance, chapter XLI.	895	820	548	269	3 ditto.
Total	3,344	7,389	2,376	4,914	94 remaining. 5 absconded.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT 4.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing the general result of criminal trials in the tribunals of various classes in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1882.

Class of courts.	Total number of persons under trial.	Persons whose cases were disposed of.					Persons remaining under trial at the end of the year.	Number of cases disposed of during the year.	Average number of days during which each case lasted.	Number of witnesses examined.	Remarks.
		Died, escaped or transferred to another province.	Discharged or acquitted.	Convicted.		Committed or referred.					
				On regular trial.	On summary trial.						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Village Officers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Subordinate Magistrates. — Special Magistrates under sec. 42,	8,946	7	3,917	4,200	757	27	38	4,883	3	11,977	
Subordinate Magistrates. — Honorary Magistrates sitting singly,	16,851	22	7,388	9,331	...	59	51	8,658	3	20,334	
Subordinate Magistrates. — Stipendiary Magistrates sitting singly. — 2nd and 3rd class.	69,361	159	34,716	33,290	...	865	331	38,123	3	108,133	
Subordinate Magistrates. — Stipendiary Magistrates sitting singly. — 1st class ...	75,031	188	30,905	28,331	12,178	2,317	1,112	42,627	6	182,366	
Subordinate Magistrates. — Benches of Magistrates ...	5,210	...	2,661	2,532	...	8	9	2,713	3	4,270	
Chief Magistrates of districts	4,406	26	1,344	1,678	1,210	123	25	2,510	5	8,151	
Courts of Session	2,684	30	777	1,633	...	68	176	1,405	35	10 266	
High Court	9	...	5	4	...	...	...	7	33	97	
Total	1,82,498	432	81,713	80,999	14,145	3,467	1,742	100,926	5	346,094	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT 5.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing the punishments inflicted by the various criminal tribunals in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1882.

Class of tribunals	Persons sentenced to								Persons ordered to find or give security, or recognisance to keep the peace, or sureties for good behaviour.	Persons imprisoned in default of security for good behaviour.	Detail of punishment															Number of boys whose sentences were commuted to detention in a reformatory school.
				Imprisonment							Fine.									Imprisonment.					Whipped.			
	Death.	Transportation.	Penal servitude.	Rigorous	Simple	Forfeiture of property.	Fine.	Whipping.			Rs. 10 and under.	Rs. 50 and under.	Rs. 100 and under.	Rs. 500 and under.	Rs. 1,000 and under.	Above Rs. 1,000.	Total amount of fines imposed during the year.	Total amount of fines realised during the year.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	15 days and under	6 months and under.	2 years and under	7 years and under	Above 7 years	10 stripes and under.	20 stripes and under.	30 stripes and under.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Village Officers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Subordinate Magistrates — Special Magistrates under sec. 42,	...	..	..	517	81	...	4,556	89	7	...	8,829	3,194	330	856	...	...	13,203	12,166	489	289	280	29	...	..	39	43	7	
Honorary „ sitting singly,	..	..	...	722	93	...	8,765	79	37	10	13,315	3,752	660	500	...	...	18,227	17,440	606	337	435	43	..	..	33	40	6	
Stipendiary Magistrates sitting singly. 2nd and 3rd class,	..	...	..	5,857	463	...	26,932	632	54	...	58,879	21,338	1,192	950	...	...	82,359	77,420	2,496	2,884	3,427	9	...	..	331	243	58	
Stipendiary Magistrates sitting singly. 1st class ...	...	...	...	15,132	790	..	20,126	3,404	3,327	564	60,085	79,421	22,652	17,632	1,600	...	1,81,390	1,48,129	8,735	1,609	9,042	5,263	8	...	1,067	1,533	804	
Benches of Magistrates ...	...	...	..	107	3	..	2,445	2	...	...	2,210	584	...	...	...	...	2,794	2,480	35	63	47	...	...	...	2	...	...	
Chief Magistrates of districts ...	...	...	..	845	56	..	1,337	424	315	71	3,858	5,307	1,433	2,150	...	...	12,748	11,934	1,365	82	462	338	19	.	179	158	87	
Courts of Session	69	222		1,230	27	..	65	57	1	1	177	1,500	1,600	1,450	1,800	4,000	10,527	8,962	522	14	139	324	740	40	8	31	18	
High Court	1	...	1	1	1	..	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	165	...	...	165	568	15	1	...	...	1		...	...	...	
Total ...	69	222	1	24,411	1,514	..	64,227	4,687	3,741	646	1,47,353	1,15,096	27,867	23,697	3,400	4,000	3,21,413	2,79,099	14,265	5,279	13,832	6,006	768	40	1,659	2,048	980	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT 5A.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing the particulars of whippings inflicted by the criminal tribunals in the North-Western Provinces during 1882.

PART I.

Statement showing whippings inflicted under sections 2 and 3, Act VI, 1864, in lieu of other punishment.

Offences for which awarded.	Number of stripes awarded.												Total.	Remarks.
	5 and under.		6 to 10.		11 to 15.		16 to 20.		21 to 25.		26 to 30.			
	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
IN LIEU OF OTHER PUNISHMENT. (*Sections 2 and 3, Act VI., 1864.*)														
1. Theft, as defined in ... Section 378, I. P. C. ...	371	4	661	9	600	16	347	13	110	7	186	14	2,338	
„ 380, „ ...	61	...	173	3	149	4	99	9	28	1	60	4	591	
„ 381, „ ...	13	...	23	1	23	2	27	...	5	...	19	1	114	
„ 382, „ ...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	
2. Extortion, as defined in ... „ 388, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ 389, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Dishonestly receiving stolen property, as defined in „ 411, „ ...	21	1	112	2	138	5	118	6	37	1	91	8	540	
„ 412, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	
4. Lurking house trespass, as defined in „ 443, „ ...	1	...	11	...	5	3	7	...	3	...	1	...	31	
5 Lurking house trespass by night, as defined in „ 444, „ ...	4	...	18	...	13	2	21	2	7	...	5	...	72	
6 House-breaking, as defined in ... „ 445, „ ...	6	...	23	...	22	...	20	1	2	...	11	1	86	
7. House-breaking by night, as defined in „ 446, „ ...	15	1	30	1	60	2	55	1	14	...	32	3	214	
8 Offence under section 49, Act XXVI., 1870	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	3	
9. Offence under section 19, „ XXVII, 1871	...	...	...	...	...	1	2	...	...	...	...	...	3	
10. Offence under section 14, „ III., 1880	1	...	3	...	4	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	
Total ...	494	6	1,055	16	1,015	37	687	32	206	9	407	31	4,005	

PART II.

Showing whippings inflicted in addition to other punishments, sections 3 and 4, Act VI., 1864.

Offences for which awarded.	Number of stripes.							Remarks.
	5 and under.	6 to 10.	11 to 15.	16 to 20.	21 to 25.	26 to 30.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
IN ADDITION TO OTHER PUNISHMENTS.								
(*Sections 3 and 4*).								
A.—Section 3:								
1. Theft, as defined in ... ... Section 378, I. P. C. ...	3	12	37	51	22	79	204	
„ 380, „ ...	1	6	21	16	3	40	87	
„ 381, „ ...	...	..	1	7	5	2	15	
„ 382, „ ...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	
2. Extortion, as defined in ... „ 388, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ 389, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Dishonestly receiving stolen property, as defined in ... „ 411, „ ...	...	7	14	21	22	44	108	
„ 412, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
4. Lurking house-trespass, as defined in „ 443, „ ...	1	...	1	1	...	...	3	
5. Lurking house-trespass, by night, as defined in „ 444, „ ...	...	1	1	4	1	3	10	
6. House-breaking, as defined in ... „ 445, „ ...	1	...	4	4	7	1	17	
7. House-breaking by night, as defined in „ 446, „ ...	1	3	11	18	9	51	93	
8. Offence under section 19, Act XXVII., 1871	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	
9. Ditto 14, „ III., 1880	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	
B.—Section 4:								
1. False evidence, as defined in ... Section 193, I. P. C. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ 194, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ 195, „ ...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	
2. False charge of unnatural offence, as defined in ... ... Sections 211 and 377,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Assault, as defined in ... Section 354, „ ...	...	...	...	1	...	3	4	
4. Rape, as defined in ... ... „ 375, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5. Unnatural offence, as defined in „ 377, „ ...	...	...	...	1	...	1	2	
6. Robbery, as defined in ... „ 390, „ ...	...	...	1	...	...	1	2	
7. Dacoity, as defined in ... „ 391, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
8. Attempt at robbery, as defined in „ 393, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
9. Hurt in committing robbery, as defined in „ 394, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
10. Receiving stolen property, as defined in „ 413, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ 463, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ 466, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
11. Forgery, as defined in ... „ 467, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ 468, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ 469, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
12. Lurking house-trespass, as defined in „ 443, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
13. Lurking house-trespass by night, as defined in. „ 444, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
14. House-breaking, as defined in ... „ 445, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	
15. House-breaking by night, as defined in. „ 446, „ ...	...	...	1	2	...	7	10	
Total ...	7	29	94	126	72	233	561	

PART III.

Showing whippings inflicted under section 5, Act VI., 1864, on Juveniles for offences other than those specified in Parts I. and II.

Offence.	Stripes.												Total.	Remarks.
	5 and under.		6 to 10.		11 to 15.		16 to 20.		21 to 25.		26 to 30.			
	1st conviction.	Subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	Subsequent conviction	1st conviction	Subsequent conviction	1st conviction.	Subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	Subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	Subsequent conviction.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1. Rioting, Section 147 I. P. C. ...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	
2. Personating a public servant „ 170 „ ...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
3. False information „ 182 „ ...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	
4. Obstructing public servant „ 186 „ ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
5. Giving false evidence „ 193 „ ...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	
6. Possessing counterfeit coin „ 243 „ ...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
7. Altering appearance of coin „ 248 „ ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
8. Possessing false weights or measures „ 266 „ ...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	
9. Rash driving „ 279 „ ...	...	...	...	...		...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	
10. Negligent conduct with fire „ 285 „ ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
11. Sale of obscene books „ 292 „ ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
12. Causing death „ 304A „ ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
13. Attempt to commit suicide „ 309 „ ...	2	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	
14. Voluntarily causing hurt „ 323 „ ...	1	...	4	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	9	
15. Causing hurt by dangerous weapon „ 324 „ ...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	
16. Voluntarily causing grievous hurt „ 325 „ ...	...	...	4	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	
17. Assault or criminal force to a woman „ 354 „ ...	1	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	5	
18. Kidnapping „ „ 369 „ ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
19. Rape „ „ 375 „ ...	...	...	1	1	2	...	1	...	...	...	4	...	9	
20. Unnatural offence „ „ 377 „ ...	...	...	...	...	2	...	4	...	1	...	3	...	10	
21. Extortion „ „ „ 383 „ ...	...	...	...	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	5	...	9	
22. Robbery „ „ „ 390 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...		...	...	...	1	...	1	
23. Criminal misappropriation „ 403 „ ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	5	
24. Criminal breach of trust „ 405 „ ...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	
25. Assisting in concealment of stolen property. „ 414 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	1	
26. Cheating „ „ 415 „ ...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	
27. Dishonest or fraudulent execution of a deed. „ 423 „ ...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
28. Mischief „ „ 425 „ ...	2	...	4	...	4	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	13	
29. Dishonestly breaking open a closed receptacle. „ 461 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	
30. Complaint against apprentice, section 15, Act, XIX. 1850 ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
31. Nuisance, section 34, Act V. 1861	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
32. Gambling, Act III., 1867	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	
33. Illicit possession of opium, Act I, 1878	...	...		...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
34. Railway Act, IV., 1879	5	...	4	...	3	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	13	
35. Excise Act, XXII., 1881	...	...	1	...	...	...		...	...	...	...	...	1	
36. Breach of Cantonment Rules	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
Total	19	...	32	1	33	...	14	...	3	1	18	...	121	

Part IV.

Showing relative number of times whipping was awarded as compared with other punishments.

Punishments.	Number.	Remarks.
1	2	3
1. Total number of whippings awarded*	4687	
2. Total number of other punishments†	16592	
Percentage of whippings	·22	

* Total of column 14, Parts I. and III., and of column 8, Part II.

† Not counting punishments of which whipping was a part, but including all cases in which whipping might have been inflicted.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT 6.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing the result of appeal and revision in criminal cases in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1882.

Tribunals.	Number of persons.											Average number of days during which each appeal lasted.	Remarks.
	Total number of appellants and applicants for revision before the Courts.	Died, escaped or transferred to another province.	Appeals or applications rejected.	Sentence or order confirmed.	Sentence enhanced.	Sentence reduced or otherwise altered.	Sentence reversed.	Proceedings quashed.	New trial or further enquiry ordered.	Referred for revision to the High Court.	Pending trial.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
Appeals.													
To Chief Magistrates of districts	3,245	...	143	1,747	48	350	814	11	42	4	86	9	
To Courts of Session	3,583	7	475	1,780	58	330	640	22	35	37	199	15	
High Court ... by persons convicted	910	...	33	502	8	121	91	...	67	...	88	30	
High Court ... by Government from judgments of acquittal.	30	...	...	4	...	...	1	...	9	...	16	184	
Total ...	7,768	7	651	4,033	114	801	1,546	33	153	41	389	15	
Revision.													
By Chief Magistrates of districts	1,163	...	520	446	...	3	13	2	110	43	26	8	
By Courts of Session	1,496	...	976	74	...	...	8	...	77	204	157	14	
By High Court	1,101	...	145	329	26	55	269	...	155	...	122	27	
Total ...	3,760	...	1,641	849	26	58	290	2	342	247	305	15	
Grand Total ...	11,528	7	2,292	4,882	140	859	1,836	35	495	288	694	15	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT 13.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing use of Jurors and Assessors in the Criminal Courts in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1882.

Classes of Courts in which Jurors or Assessors are employed.	Established or average number of Jury or Assessors in each case, and prescribed qualifications.	Number of cases tried by Jury.	Number of cases tried with Assessors.	Jury Trials.					Assessors' Trials.			Remarks.
				Cases in which the Judge approved of the verdict.	*Cases in which the Judge did not approve of the verdict.*		*Number of persons of the verdict in respect to whom the Judge disapproved.*		Number of cases in which Judge agreed with Assessors.	*Number of cases in which Judge differed from*		
					Wholly.	Partially.	Whose cases he referred under section 263, C.P.C.	Whose cases he did not refer under section 263, C.P.C.		One Assessor.	Both Assessors.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
II.—CRIMINAL COURTS.												
Magistrates' Courts under Chapter XXXIX., C.P.C.	...	3	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	
Courts of Session ... ... Jurors ...	Number of Jurors, 7 ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Assessors,	Number of Assessors, 2 or more. Qualifications as described in sections 404, 405, and 406 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.	...	1,276	...	...	...	...	...	976	71	229	
High Court Original Criminal Jurisdiction ... ... Jurors ...	Nine Jurors. Qualifications as described in sections 404, 405, and 406 of the Code of Criminal Procedure, and section 51 of the High Court Criminal Procedure Act, 1875.	7	...	7	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Total ...	10	1,276	8	1	1	...	...	976	71	229	

TABLE A.

Showing in detail for each class the number of persons convicted in 1882.

Districts.	Offences against the State and relating to the Army and Navy, chapters VI and VII, Indian Penal Code.	Offences against the public tranquility, chapter VIII.	Offences by or relating to public servants, chapters IX and X.	Offences against public justice and false evidence, chapter XI	Offences relating to coin, stamps, weights, and measures, chapters XII. and XIII.	Offences affecting public health, &c., and religion, chapters XIV. and XV.	Offences affecting the human body, chapter XVI.	Offences against property, chapter XVII.	Miscellaneous offences under the Penal Code, chapters XVIII to XXII.	Total offences under the Penal Code	Offences under the Code of Criminal Procedure and under Special Laws.	Grand Total.
Dehra Dún ...	...	31	23	7	1	55	114	201	14	446	893	1,339
Saháranpur ...	...	62	137	36	1	18	231	539	19	1,034	1,155	2,189
Muzaffarnagar ...	...	16	78	37	3	115	254	604	26	1,133	1,128	2,261
Meerut ...	...	75	438	45	2	321	320	700	22	1,923	2,210	4,133
Bulandshahr ...	...	15	125	10	5	320	590	407	10	1,982	1,260	3,242
Aligarh ...	...	79	195	36	15	24	519	704	14	1,586	961	2,547
Kumaun ...	...	26	61	33	6	2	141	241	30	539	754	1,293
Garhwál ...	...	22	7	9	...	...	98	27	10	173	20	193
Tarai ...	...	2	9	11	...	10	198	147	9	386	90	476
Bijnor ...	...	16	57	29	9	424	269	338	16	1,158	565	1,723
Moradabad ...	...	285	152	32	3	55	647	1,012	49	2,240	1,156	3,396
Budaun ...	...	122	264	51	8	47	557	959	17	2,015	567	2,582
Bareilly ...	...	127	153	75	9	71	624	1,207	33	2,299	1,512	3,811
Pilibhit ...	...	39	20	5	...	8	193	411	9	685	305	990
Sháhjahánpur ...	...	131	86	24	9	34	678	1,171	37	2,175	758	2,933
Muttra ...	...	72	89	79	17	48	371	707	2	1,380	1,296	2,676
Agra ...	...	74	180	42	17	54	622	1,247	16	2,252	1,779	4,031
Farukhabad ...	...	75	41	27	6	4	461	912	16	1,544	805	2,349
Mainpuri ...	...	121	357	27	13	100	372	559	8	1,557	1,418	2,975
Etáwah ...	...	24	18	31	4	8	233	566	8	892	1,046	1,938
Etah ...	...	95	129	20	9	3	383	706	6	1,345	789	2,134
Jalaun ...	...	56	145	13	1	29	166	328	30	768	587	1,355
Jhánsi ...	...	72	6	6	7	4	251	533	76	955	853	1,808
Lalitpur ...	...	27	41	8	4	12	87	332	10	521	154	675
Cawnpore ...	...	339	372	40	14	153	475	1,069	40	2,502	2,157	4,659
Fatehpur ...	...	96	43	23	5	95	412	581	18	1,278	1,185	2,463
Bánda ...	...	196	102	30	4	43	783	1,873	53	2,584	694	3,278
Allahabad ...	...	118	111	37	4	440	811	946	42	2,509	2,436	4,945
Hamirpur ...	...	83	70	19	9	14	222	540	9	966	204	1,170
Jaunpur ...	...	277	74	43	3	66	403	624	14	1 504	507	2,011
Gorakhpur ...	...	269	116	52	3	26	776	1,525	50	2,819	906	3,725
Basti ...	...	149	189	42	5	2	406	892	16	1,701	328	2,029
Azámgarh ...	...	447	191	24	5	181	476	1,851	15	3,190	721	3,911
Mirzapur ...	...	298	60	14	16	20	530	695	35	1,668	1,714	3,382
Benares ...	...	220	55	26	14	60	602	1,171	45	2,193	2,655	4,848
Gházipur ...	...	98	213	73	...	15	617	1,189	29	2,234	1,617	3,851
Ballia ...	...	98	207	21	3	7	232	453	11	1,027	792	1,819
Total ...	...	4,347	4,603	1,137	240	3,388	15,126	27,458	864	57,163	37,977	95,140
High Court, N.-W. P.,	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	4	...	4
Grand Total ...	...	4,347	4,603	1,137	240	3,388	15,128	27,460	864	57,167	37,977	95,144

TABLE B.

Showing the number of cases brought to trial during the year, disposed of, and pending in the Courts of Session and the Courts of Magistrates in 1882.

Districts.	Courts of Session.			Courts of Magistrates.			Remarks.
	Brought to trial.	Disposed of.	Pending.	Brought to trial.	Disposed of.	Pending.	
Dehra Dún	11	10	1	1,578	1,571	7	
Saháranpur	23	22	1	3,831	3,758	73	
Muzaffarnagar...	51	46	5	2,235	2,221	14	
Meerut	54	52	2	4,469	4,430	39	
Bulandshahr	19	18	1	3,073	3,052	21	
Aligarh	39	38	1	2,842	2,831	11	
Kumaun	13	13	...	1,258	1,255	3	
Garhwál	3	3	...	160	158	2	
Tarai	4	3	1	372	372	...	
Bijnor	34	28	6	2,524	2,512	12	
Moradabad	95	90	5	3,229	3,202	27	
Budaun	74	72	2	2,262	2,244	18	
Bareilly	59	56	3	4,898	4,883	15	
Pilibhít	24	23	1	1,762	1,754	8	
Sháhjahánpur	57	56	1	5,305	5,271	34	
Muttra	46	43	3	2,577	2,563	14	
Agra	67	61	6	4 057	4,016	41	
Farukhabad	87	86	1	2,533	2,476	57	
Mainpuri	60	52	8	2,663	2,650	13	
Etáwah	22	22	...	1,731	1,709	22	
Etah	39	37	2	2,953	2,933	20	
Jalaun	2	2	...	1,156	1,149	7	
Jhánsi	8	7	1	1,506	1,495	11	
Lalitpur	1	1	...	810	805	5	
Cawnpore	94	90	4	4,021	3,990	31	
Fatehpur	52	40	12	2,194	2,166	28	
Bánda	40	35	5	2,731	2,722	9	
Allahabad	95	90	5	4,368	4,330	38	
Hamírpur	41	38	3	1,109	1,098	11	
Jaunpur	26	25	1	2,876	2,871	5	
Gorakhpur	48	42	6	3,674	3,641	33	
Basti	33	31	2	2,760	2,732	28	
Azámgarh	37	36	1	3,665	3,633	32	
Mirzapur	37	33	4	3,267	3,253	14	
Benares	65	61	4	4,726	4,699	27	
Gházipur	26	26	...	3,759	3,712	47	
Ballia	17	17	...	1,382	1,357	25	
Total	1,503	1,405	98	1,00,316	99,514	802	

TABLE C.

Showing the number of persons concerned in cases decided under the miscellaneous provisions of the Criminal Procedure Code during 1882.

Districts.	Frivolous or vexatious complaints summarily dealt with under Chapter XVI., section 209.	Proceedings against witnesses under Chapter XXVI	Forfeiture of bail or recognizance under Chapter XVIII.	Non-attendance of jurors or assessors, Chapter XXIX., section 414.	Contempts of Court under Chapter XXII.	Proceedings under Chapter XXVII. to prevent breach of the peace.	Proceedings under Chapter XXVIII., security for good behaviour.	Proceedings against local nuisances, Chapter XXIX.	Possession, Chapter XL.	Maintenance, Chapter XLI.	Total of persons.
Dehra Dún	...	...	...	...	...	23	9	...	2	16	50
Saháranpur	12	...	...	4	...	2	46	3	9	16	92
Muzaffarnagar	...	...	1	8	1	42	30	...	...	10	92
Meerut	8	...	4	...	36	131.	54	...	...	7	240
Bulandshahr	4	...	4	...	...	172	32	3	54	45	314
Aligarh	7	...	4	1	...	48	111	...	...	8	179
Kumaun	1	...	1	...	...	25	18	...	...	11	51
Garhwál	...	...	...	...	...	7	...	...	...	3	10
Tarai	...	...	...	...	...	29	18	...	...	2	49
Bijnor	16	...	2	...	2	83	61	63	2	46	225
Moradabad	3	...	...	2	...	106	46	...	...	3	160
Budaun	18	...	2	...	1	191	126	...	...	14	352
Bareilly	12	...	4	15	4	147	69	...	...	47	298
Pilibhit	1	...	1	...	1	87	18	2	...	4	64
Sháhjahánpur	1	...	2	4	...	358	69	...	11	75	520
Muttra	6	...	2	2	10	20	41	...	1	6	88
Agra	6	...	2	1	3	117	104	...	...	15	248
Farukhabad	1	...	3	...	3	62	4	...	21	13	107
Mainpuri	1	...	...	...	...	47	40	...	11	12	111
Etáwah	7	...	3	...	...	12	16	...	6	6	50
Etah	15	...	...	1	...	28	72	...	...	5	121
Jalaun	10	...	3	...	1	24	8	...	...	2	48
Jhánsi	7	...	...	...	...	60	28	1	...	6	111
Lalitpur	1	...	...	...	...	...	16	82	2	22	123
Cawnpore	2	...	3	...	1	87	25	...	4	24	146
Fatehpur	6	...	11	...	1	461	50	...	24	16	569
Bánda	4	...	...	1	3	419	15	...	49	21	512
Allahabad	10	...	7	4	3	85	34	24	15	58	240
Hamírpur	2	...	...	...	2	48	31	...	...	3	86
Jaunpur	7	...	4	...	6	42	18	...	13	37	127
Gorakhpur	17	...	6	...	3	150	127	164	32	53	552
Basti	9	...	8	...	6	172	47	...	22	45	309
Azámgarh	1	...	2	1	...	5	15	...	2	27	53
Mirzapur	10	...	4	...	1	134	51	...	17	74	291
Benares	7	2	2	...	...	50	24	10	7	51	153
Gházipur	...	...	...	...	...	221	58	...	11	16	306
Ballia	2	...	3	...	3	215	75	...	33	1	342
Total ...	214	2	88	44	96	3,819	1,601	352	353	820	7,389

TABLE D.

Showing the results of trials in the Courts of Session in 1882 (as affecting persons).

Districts.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Referred.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	Remaining under trial.	Number per cent. of persons entered in columns 3 and 4, and of those whose cases were referred under section 237 (C.P.C.) who were convicted.	Remarks.
Dehra Dún	13	5	6	...	...	2	·55	
Sahárunpur	56	16	36	3	...	1	·70	
Muzaffarnagar	76	14	44	...	...	18	·50	
Meerut	105	50	49	...	1	5	·50	
Bulandshahr	29	11	12	5	...	1	·52	
Aligarh	80	43	30	...	...	1	·43	
Kumaun	23	9	8	6	...	...	·50	
Garhwál	3	...	2	1	...	...	·100	
Tarai	4	1	1	1	...	1	·50	
Bijnor	63	7	39	1	6	10	·85	
Moradabad	181	55	112	...	5	9	·67	
Budaun	128	30	90	2	1	5	·75	
Bareilly	101	35	61	...	2	3	·65	
Pilibhít	61	21	39	...	...	1	·65	
Sháhjahánpur	99	41	47	10	...	1	·53	
Muttra	132	27	97	...	4	4	·78	
Agra	121	24	83	...	1	13	·78	
Farukhabad	182	44	114	21	2	1	·73	
Mainpuri	96	13	66	...	1	16	·84	
Etáwah	40	15	23	2	...	...	·61	
Etah	65	26	34	...	...	5	·57	
Jalaun	4	3	1	...	...	...	·25	
Jhánsi	17	9	7	...	...	1	·44	
Lalitpur	2	1	1	...	...	...	·50	
Cawnpore	120	28	86	1	...	5	·76	
Fatehpur	109	32	52	3	...	22	·62	
Bánda	91	20	64	...	...	7	·77	
Allahabad	144	35	87	6	6	10	·72	
Hamírpur	66	16	46	1	...	3	·74	
Jaunpur	30	4	25	...	...	1	·87	
Gorakhpur	69	26	35	...	...	8	·70	
Basti	51	21	24	...	1	5	·53	
Azámgarh	61	15	44	...	...	2	·75	
Mirzapur	72	29	33	3	...	7	·55	
Benares	97	30	57	2	...	8	·66	
Gházipur	66	18	48	...	...	...	·73	
Ballia	27	3	24	...	...	...	·89	
Total ...	2,684	777	1,633	68	30	176	·66	
High Court, N.-W. P. ...	9	5	4	...	...	...	·45	
Grand Total ...	2,693	782	1,637	68	30	176	·66	

TABLE E.

Showing the results of trials in the Courts of Magistrates in 1882 *(as affecting persons).*

Districts.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	Remaining under trial.	Number per cent. of persons entered in columns 3 and 4 who were convicted.	Remarks.
Dehra Dún	2,201	825	1,333	17	1	25	·62	
Sahâranpur	3,464	1,189	2,156	58	11	50	·64	
Muzaffarnagar	3,529	1,306	2,126	72	...	25	·62	
Meerut	9,023	4,704	4,086	147	9	77	·46	
Bulandshahr	6,894	3,606	3,225	26	2	35	·47	
Aligarh	5,592	2,977	2,511	74	5	25	·46	
Kumaun	2,106	799	1,279	23	2	3	·62	
Garhwál	330	135	190	3	...	2	·58	
Tarai	1,007	518	484	4	1	...	·48	
Bijnor	4,365	2,559	1,683	67	5	51	·40	
Moradabad	5,352	1,862	3,288	159	2	41	·64	
Budaun	4,074	1,302	2,500	219	9	44	·66	
Bareilly	8,091	4,215	3,748	99	6	23	·47	
Pilibhît	3,427	2,424	950	44	...	9	·28	
Shâhjahânpur	9,991	6,893	2,887	123	2	86	·30	
Muttra	5,048	2,337	2,579	93	8	31	·52	
Agra	7,089	2,885	3,953	103	61	87	·58	
Farukhabad	4,405	1,834	2,230	225	25	91	·55	
Mainpuri	5,025	1,988	2,909	99	5	24	·59	
Etáwah	3,014	1,004	1,913	63	7	27	·66	
Etah	5,109	2,836	2,102	106	23	42	·43	
Jalaun	2,444	1,045	1,351	14	11	23	·56	
Jhánsi	2,914	1,032	1,801	47	10	24	·64	
Lalitpur	1,347	660	674	3	...	10	·51	
Cawnpore	7,214	2,383	4,672	112	...	47	·66	
Fatehpur	3,854	1,176	2,406	128	55	89	·67	
Bánda	5,640	2,261	3,213	116	7	43	·59	
Allahabad	8,325	3,207	4,858	200	1	59	·60	
Hamírpur	1,763	464	1,125	153	6	15	·71	
Jaunpur	4,367	2,331	1,984	43	4	5	·46	
Gorakhpur	5,606	1,647	3,690	180	6	83	·69	
Basti	4,929	2,699	2,013	72	82	63	·43	
Azámgarh	7,505	3,321	3,869	217	15	83	·54	
Mirzapur	7,178	3,703	3,346	71	10	48	·47	
Benares	8,473	3,525	4,789	118	2	39	·58	
Ghâzipur	6,380	2,441	3,789	70	...	80	·61	
Ballia	2,730	838	1,795	31	9	57	·68	
Total ...	1,79,805	80,931	93,507	3,399	402	1,566	·54	

TABLE F.

Showing the number of witnesses examined and the number of persons to whom payments were made on account of expenses in Courts of Session and Courts of Magistrates in 1862.

Districts.	Number of witnesses examined.				Amount paid as expenses.	
	Courts of Session.		*Magistrates' Courts.*		*Courts of Session.*	*Magistrates' Courts.*
	Number of persons to whom payments were made.	Number of witnesses examined.	Number of persons to whom payments were made.	Number of witnesses examined.	Amount paid	Amount paid.
Dehra Dún	52	76	87	3,428	33	134
Saháranpur	115	224	394	8,569	74	248
Muzaffarnagar	246	353	789	7,502	149	320
Meerut	449	592	634	11,011	613	379
Bulandshahr	146	143	727	8,748	50	215
Aligarh	322	287	573	10,204	265	447
Kumaun	25	63	21	1,030	18	14
Garhwál	11	17	16	898	11	34
Tarai	19	21	49	1,447	19	20
Bijnor	156	148	701	6,874	48	164
Moradabad	549	512	2,183	15,465	344	700
Budaun	347	328	436	11,004	193	248
Bareilly	407	490	890	14,871	198	389
Pilibhít	165	172	298	4,175	151	119
Sháhjahánpur	480	299	2,409	11,772	308	869
Muttra	366	378	623	8,801	201	206
Agra	481	559	644	15,499	344	673
Farukhabad	754	535	611	13,613	323	152
Mainpurí	359	228	1,077	9,310	169	236
Etáwah	185	149	390	7,078	153	126
Etah	311	342	414	9,639	249	94
Jalaun	30	22	266	3,914	6	74
Jhánsi	81	74	676	4,837	60	307
Lalitpur	15	15	389	2,957	29	92
Cawnpore	474	685	1,926	12,411	644	456
Fatehpur	318	416	823	9,181	107	209
Bánda	475	453	687	11,644	413	208
Allahabad	643	605	663	14,455	762	438
Hamírpur	324	317	2,324	5,073	202	729
Jaunpur	56	154	149	8,267	60	73
Gorakhpur	362	254	394	17,562	379	165
Basti	325	271	831	10,330	222	314
Azámgarh	247	234	191	10,510	102	51
Mirzapur	217	263	818	8,695	187	413
Benares	330	438	34	16,327	76	29
Gházipur	73	124	185	12,523	31	115
Ballia	46	25	251	5,207	56	96
Total ...	9,961	10,266	24,873	3,35,731	7,049	9,166
High Court, North-Western Provinces ...	121	97	...	...	1,931	...
Grand Total ...	10,082	10,363	24,873	3,35,731	8,980	9,166

TABLE G.

Showing the detention of witnesses in Courts of Session and Courts of Magistrates in 1882.

Districts.	Number of witnesses discharged.							
	Courts of Session.				*Magistrates' Courts.*			
	On the 1st day.	On the 2nd day.	On the 3rd day.	After the 3rd day.	On the 1st day.	On the 2nd day.	On the 3rd day.	After the 3rd day.
Dehra Dún	65	15	...	...	3,745	48	5	...
Saháranpur	202	30	11	...	8,507	878	155	13
Muzaffarnagar	613	...	...	...	7,854	566	96	11
Meerut	330	61	134	293	10,880	1,160	304	169
Bulandshahr	131	60	...	...	9,215	637	88	2
Aligarh	84	77	11	186	10,368	729	105	33
Kumaun	63	...	...	...	1,894	24	15	4
Garhwál	17	...	...	...	898	...	...	...
Tarai	21	...	...	...	1,484	...	...	...
Bijnor	113	10	46	10	7,353	269	27	19
Moradabad	395	81	32	16	16,316	726	97	5
Budaun	313	86	8	9	10,568	595	86	4
Bareilly	446	90	86	143	16,276	894	92	40
Pilibhít	113	92	31	108	4,326	278	53	50
Sháhjahánpur	370	53	45	58	11,737	1,243	316	168
Muttra	320	114	18	11	8,766	582	95	16
Agra	527	123	42	...	16,069	987	99	9
Farukhabad	654	110	...	...	12,464	1,528	118	20
Mainpuri	220	127	15	38	9,355	171	22	...
Etáwah	126	61	65	64	7,256	150	27	5
Etah	173	42	162	16	9,625	117	...	...
Jalaun	9	21	...	...	3,932	284	2	3
Jhánsi	13	55	13	...	5,069	276	6	...
Lalitpur	15	...	...	...	3,321	16	25	1
Cawnpore	448	200	37	47	13,514	550	51	19
Fatehpur	400	93	16	...	9,385	257	31	27
Bánda	441	62	7	...	11,032	1,157	309	28
Allahabad	781	57	44	67	15,541	1,317	248	160
Hamírpur	353	...	...	...	4,920	459	43	41
Jaunpur	146	8	...	...	8,897	980	229	61
Gorakhpur	197	68	94	40	16,565	1,833	486	247
Basti	184	39	44	88	9,993	1,045	209	112
Azámgarh	255	68	16	...	9,622	1,188	144	7
Mirzapur	213	101	6	11	9,636	742	106	40
Benares	312	174	28	...	17,013	805	173	26
Gházipur	138	9	7	24	13,276	681	25	...
Ballia	64	11	...	...	5,387	324	24	...
Total ...	9,265	2,198	1,018	1,229	3,42,059	23,496	3,911	1,340

TABLE H.

Showing the total amount of fines imposed in the exercise of original jurisdiction by the Criminal Courts in 1882, the amount realised, and the amount paid by way of compensation.

Districts.	*Courts of Session.*			*Magistrates' Courts.*		
	Total amount of fines.	Amount realised.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realised.	Amount paid by way of compensation.
Dehra Dún	...	...	...	3,965	3,587	200
Saháranpur	1,085	159	...	11,149	9,288	331
Muzaffarnagar	450	428	62	8,070	5,741	165
Meerut	260	250	...	16,946	13,748	343
Bulandshahr	100	...	...	6,963	6,302	97
Aligarh	...	...	...	8,817	8,636	291
Kumaun	...	...	...	4,930	4,226	530
Garhwál	...	...	...	1,515	1,360	439
Tarai	...	...	...	1,787	1,624	502
Bijnor	500	500	...	5,732	5,301	84
Moradabad	...	...	...	9,019	7,688	68
Budaun	...	...	...	15,244	13,661	612
Bareilly	345	397	50	10,823	8,609	673
Pilibhít	2,650	2,560	60	2,058	1,699	61
Sháhjahánpur	...	...	...	9,802	8,123	1,773
Muttra	...	...	...	6,133	5,298	53
Agra	10	...	...	11,078	9,086	1,483
Farukhabad	325	325	...	6,259	4,185	208
Mainpuri	...	...	...	9,972	9,405	176
Etáwah	...	...	...	6,761	6,290	169
Etah	170	50	...	9,217	7,318	52
Jalaun	...	...	...	3,139	3,108	152
Jhansi	...	...	...	3,550	3,060	164
Lalitpur	...	...	...	1,019	963	16
Cawnpore	2,450	2,145	300	16,365	12,071	361
Fatehpur	50	50	50	8,341	7,278	224
Banda	464	508	...	9,410	8,833	949
Allahabad	1,010	1,000	...	11,907	10,368	223
Hamirpur	78	298	...	3,905	3,618	107
Jaunpur	...	...	...	9,555	8,429	654
Gorakhpur	10	...	...	17,974	16,932	505
Basti	...	...	...	7,345	5,349	396
Azamgarh	100	...	...	10,361	9,677	138
Mirzapur	470	242	...	10,237	9,494	578
Benares	...	50	...	15,763	14,126	367
Ghazipur	...	...	...	9,604	9,225	136
Ballia	...	...	...	5,976	5,863	454
Total ...	10,527	8,962	522	3,10,721	2,69,569	13,726
High Court, N.-W. Provinces ...	165	568	15	...	...	...
GRAND TOTAL ...	10,692	9,530	537	3,10,721	2,69,569	13,726

TABLE I.

Showing the number of appeals (cases) preferred, disposed of, and pending in the Courts of District Magistrates and of Sessions Judges in 1882.

Districts.	*Preferred.*		*Disposed of.*		*Pending.*		Remarks.
	Court of Session.	Court of District Magistrate.	Court of Session.	Court of District Magistrate.	Court of Session.	Court of District Magistrate.	
Dehra Dún	16	8	15	8	1	...	
Saháranpur	94	41	81	41	12	...	
Muzaffarnagar ...	100	37	85	35	15	2	
Meerut	172	79	137	78	35	1	
Bulandshahr	81	79	67	79	14	...	
Aligarh	90	90	89	90	1	...	
Kumaun	41	13	42	13	2	...	
Garhwál	6	13	5	13	1	...	
Tarai	15	10	16	8	...	2	
Bijnor	65	24	63	23	2	1	
Moradabad	145	130	145	128	...	2	
Budaun	61	39	55	39	6	...	
Bareilly	128	42	126	42	3	...	
Pilibhít	35	20	35	20	...	...	
Sháhjahánpur ...	76	30	73	30	3	...	
Muttra	51	30	49	30	2	...	
Agra	65	87	62	87	3	...	
Farukhabad	80	64	72	62	5	2	
Mainpuri	52	34	49	32	3	2	
Etáwah	32	45	32	44	...	1	
Etah	120	41	112	41	8	...	
Jalaun	9	24	9	24	...	...	
Jhánsi	11	36	10	36	1	...	
Lalitpur	9	12	9	12	...	...	
Cawnpore	83	76	79	75	3	1	
Fatehpur	36	37	35	37	1	...	
Bánda	53	57	52	54	1	3	
Allahabad	75	52	75	50	...	2	
Hamírpur	60	18	59	17	1	1	
Jaunpur	51	96	51	93	...	3	
Gorakhpur	80	171	75	164	5	7	
Basti	121	44	106	41	15	3	
Azamgarh	38	76	33	72	5	4	
Mirzapur	63	33	63	31	...	2	
Benares	270	93	279	93	3	...	
Ghazipur	65	73	64	64	1	9	
Ballia	22	18	22	18	...	...	
Total ...	2,571	1,872	2,422	1,824	152	48	

TABLE J.

Showing the number of applications for revision (cases) preferred, disposed of, and pending in the Courts of District Magistrates and of Sessions Judges in 1882.

Districts.	*Preferred.*		*Disposed of.*		*Pending.*		Remarks.
	Court of Session.	Court of District Magistrate.	Court of Session.	Court of District Magistrate.	Court of Session.	Court of District Magistrate.	
Dehra Dún ...	3	4	2	4	1	...	
Sahárunpur ...	14	23	9	22	7	1	
Muzaffarnagar ...	11	15	7	13	5	2	
Meerut ...	26	13	25	13	1	...	
Bulandshahr ...	26	22	23	22	4	...	
Aligarh ...	104	29	63	29	41	...	
Kumaun ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Garhwál ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Tarai ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Bijnor ...	6	9	6	9	...	...	
Moradabad ...	45	34	45	34	...	...	
Budaun ...	24	19	23	19	1	...	
Bareilly ...	17	16	20	16	1	...	
Pilibhít ...	5	12	5	12	...	...	
Sháhjahánpur ...	22	20	22	20	...	...	
Muttra ...	13	18	12	17	1	1	
Agra ...	29	38	38	38	1	...	
Farukhabad ...	35	55	33	52	2	3	
Mainpurí ...	14	18	14	18	...	...	
Etáwah ...	4	8	4	8	...	...	
Etah ...	27	16	17	16	10	...	
Jalaun ...	4	2	4	2	...	...	
Jhánsi ...	4	...	3	...	1	...	
Lalitpur ...	1	1	1	1	...	...	
Cawnpore ...	133	16	123	16	15	...	
Fatehpur ...	47	21	40	21	7	...	
Bánda ...	29	4	29	4	...	...	
Allahabad ...	25	54	25	54	...	...	
Hamírpur ...	14	2	14	2	...	...	
Jaunpur ...	14	73	14	72	...	1	
Gorakhpur ...	63	79	62	76	1	3	
Basti ...	48	82	46	81	2	1	
Azámgarh ...	3	21	3	21	...	...	
Mirzapur ...	28	20	28	17	...	3	
Benares ...	61	56	60	56	2	...	
Gházipur ...	1	117	1	111	...	6	
Ballia	10	3	9	3	1	...	
Total ...	915	920	819	899	104	21	

TABLE K.

Showing the number of persons whose cases came before the Courts of Sessions Judges and of District Magistrates on appeal or application for revision, with the result as affecting the orders of the Lower Courts.

Districts.	Appeals.				Application for revision.			Remarks.
	Number of persons who appealed.	Ratio per cent. of persons appealing to persons in respect to whom appealable orders were passed.	Number of applicants in whose cases the sentences or orders were confirmed.	Ratio per cent. of affirmed to decided.	Number of applicants for revision.	Number of applicants whose applications were rejected or in whose case orders were confirmed.	Ratio per cent. of rejected to disposed of.	
Dehra Dún ...	31	12·	18	62·	14	12	92·	
Saháranpur ...	187	14·	137	80·	48	32	89·	
Muzaffarnagar ...	182	9·	109	68·	35	26	96·	
Meerut ...	331	...	178	65·	72	50	72·	
Bulandshahr ...	262	10·	158	64·	76	63	90·	
Aligarh ...	306	16·	192	63·	228	96	64·	
Kumaun ...	103	24·	76	75·	...	...	...	
Garhwál ...	36	34·	29	83·	...	...	...	
Tarai ...	41	12·	26	72·	...	...	...	
Bijnor ...	106	8·	76	74·	16	13	81·	
Moradabad ...	413	14·	296	72·	122	115	94·	
Budaun ...	151	11·	81	57·	79	75	96·	
Bareilly ...	231	9·	129	57·	50	41	84·	
Pilibhít ...	91	13·	59	65·	19	18	95·	
Sháhjahánpur ...	172	11·	97	57·	55	50	91·	
Muttra ...	131	10·	71	55·	38	30	83·	
Agra ...	232	8·	120	53·	98	85	88·	
Farukhabad ...	207	13·	102	52·	113	88	84·	
Mainpurí ...	132	6·	80	63·	57	48	84·	
Etáwah ...	132	8·	84	65·	14	13	93·	
Etah ...	242	16·	91	40·	50	31	79·	
Jalaun ...	102	10·	69	69·	11	11	100·	
Jhánsi ...	65	6·	40	62·	5	3	75·	
Lalitpur ...	78	17·	60	79·	8	8	100·	
Cawnpore ...	229	8·	156	69·	190	148	86·	
Fatehpur ...	107	7·	46	43·	87	59	74·	
Bánda ...	196	9·	110	58·	89	62	70·	
Allahabad ...	186	5·	114	62·	111	91	82·	
Hamírpur ...	109	14·	71	71·	35	32	91·	
Jaunpur ...	286	20·	195	69·	114	80	71·	
Gorakhpur ...	379	15·	246	68·	173	129	76·	
Basti ...	226	16·	123	62·	175	137	80·	
Azámgarh ...	247	8·	141	61·	35	28	80·	
Mirzapur ...	151	9·	92	53·	73	50	74·	
Benares ...	448	14·	256	55·	176	128	73·	
Gházipur ...	248	9·	175	76·	180	152	90·	
Ballia ...	52	6·	42	81·	13	12	100·	
Total ...	6,828	11·	4,145	64·	2,659	2,016	82·	

TABLE L.

Showing the number of appeals and applications for revision (cases) preferred, disposed of, and pending in the High Court in 1882.

Districts.	*Appeals.*			*Application for revision.*		
	Preferred.	Disposed of	Pending.	Preferred.	Disposed of	Pending.
Agra	28	30	3	32	31	2
Aligarh	33	29	4	25	24	1
Allahabad	20	19	5	32	29	6
Azamgárh	14	13	1	17	13	4
Bareilly	30	32	2	22	15	7
Benares	32	30	3	47	47	2
Bánda	24	25	2	24	21	3
Cawnpore	43	45	5	32	35	2
Farukhabad	28	28	...	26	25	2
Gházipur	15	11	5	23	24	3
Gorakhpur	13	22	1	38	35	3
Jaunpur	6	5	1	13	14	1
Jhánsi	17	16	3	8	9	...
Kumaun	9	9	...	11	12	2
Meerut	38	37	4	52	52	3
Moradabad	46	58	1	25	25	1
Bijnor-Budaun	33	37	2	13	16	1
Mainpuri	30	32	...	20	21	...
Mirzapur	16	13	3	16	13	3
Sahárunpur	35	41	2	19	25	2
Shábjahánpur	13	15	...	10	10	...
Lucknow	23	23	...	...	...	...
Total	550	570	47	505	496	48

TABLE M.

Showing the result, as affecting persons, of appeal and revision in the High Court in 1882.

Sessions divisions.	*Appeals.*						*Applications for revision.*					
	Rejected.	Sentence affirmed.	Sentence reversed.	Sentence varied.	Further enquiry ordered.	Otherwise disposed of.	Rejected.	Order affirmed.	Order reversed.	Order varied.	Further enquiry ordered.	Otherwise disposed of.
Agra	...	26	12	7	25	...	15	31	12	4	23	...
Aligarh	2	20	4	4	7	...	3	16	47	4	10	...
Allahabad	3	11	1	3	5	...	15	25	10	1	8	...
Azámgarh	1	12	...	6	...	...	5	8	21	7	4	...
Bareilly	2	33	...	3	11	...	5	18	1	2	...	...
Benares	3	28	4	14	...	...	19	25	7	1	2	...
Bánda	...	13	1	17	3	...	2	18	6	12	8	...
Cawnpore	3	43	9	17	...	...	5	15	8	12	25	...
Farukhabad	1	34	5	4	...	...	4	12	4	3	20	...
Gházipur	...	5	8	2	...	...	2	17	15	3	3	...
Gorakhpur	6	15	...	4	..	...	7	9	32	5	14	...
Jaunpur	...	5	...	...	...	...	2	6	16	1	1	...
Jhánsi	1	19	2	...	...	...	11	1	1	3	...	...
Kumaun	1	2	6	11	...	...	6	7	...	1	1	...
Meerut	1	29	1	8	1	...	26	37	21	1	12	...
Moradabad	...	55	16	11	17	...	6	18	5	3	3	...
Bijnor-Budaun	1	37	3	5	6	...	4	9	4	2	2	...
Mainpuri	4	28	8	3	1	...	3	11	10	2	1	...
Mirzapur	...	9	2	2	...	...	3	17	18	4	1	...
Sahárunpur	3	40	8	6	...	...	2	20	29	10	1	...
Sháhjahánpur	...	22	1	1	...	...	...	9	2	..	16	...
Lucknow	1	20	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	33	506	92	129	76	...	145	329	269	81	155	...

TABLE N.

Criminal business coming before the High Court, North-Western Provinces in 1882.

Description of cases.	Remaining from 1881.	Filed in 1882.	Disposed of in 1882.	Remaining at the close of 1882.	Remarks.
ORIGINAL BUSINESS.	...	9	7	2	
APPEALS.					
By persons convicted. — From the orders of Deputy Commissioners acting under section 36 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.	1	16	15	2	
By persons convicted. — Sessions Judges ...	65	526	549	42	
By the Local Government. — From the judgments of acquittal of all courts.	1	8	6	3	
Total —	67	559	577	49	
REFERENCES.					
Cases in which sentence of death passed by Sessions Judges was referred for confirmation under section 287 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.	4	50	53	1	
Cases in which proceedings held against persons who cannot understand them were referred for orders under section 186 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.	...	...	...	...	
Total ...	4	50	53	1	
REVISION.					
Cases referred for revision by District Magistrates and Sessions Judges under section 296 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.	10	167	165	12	
Cases dealt with by the Court under section 294 of the Code of Criminal Procedure—					
(1) Cases decided by Magistrates...	20	275	270	25	
(2) Cases decided by Sessions Judges.	9	63	61	11	
Total ...	39	505	496	48	
FULL BENCH REFERENCES ...	...	...	...	...	
GRAND TOTAL	110	1,114	1,126	98	

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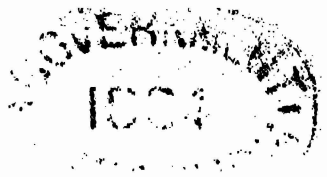

NOTE

ON THE

ADMINISTRATION OF CRIMINAL JUSTICE

IN THE

NORTH-WESTERN PROVINCES

DURING THE CALENDAR YEAR 1883.

1. The number of offences reported during 1883 was 241,717, as against 254,048 for 1882, and there was a similar decrease in the number of cases "returned as true," the figures being 198,809 for 1883 as against 210,387 for 1882. Such cases are those in which complaints were not dismissed under section 203 of the Criminal Procedure Code, or in which Magistrates did not declare that the charges were false, and that the offences never occurred.

2. The number of cases actually brought to trial shows, however, a slight increase. The figures are—

	No. of cases.
1883	100,287
1882	98,259
Increase ...	2,028

3. Increase and decrease took place chiefly under the following heads: —

	Cases.
Increase.—Hurt	1,359
Theft	1,265
Trespass	514
Extortion	103
Decrease.—Offences under Chapter X, Penal Code	274
Ditto ditto XI, ditto	199
Mischief	638

4. The number of persons under trial was 180,373 as against 179,031 in 1882.

5. Of the accused whose cases were disposed of, 48 per cent were acquitted or discharged. Last year the percentage was 46.

6. The number of persons convicted was 91,019 as against 95,144 for 1882.

7. The following figures will show the different classes of cases in which prosecutions were most and least successful:—

SUCCESSFUL.

Offence.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.
Chapter VIII, Penal Code (public tranquillity)	1,821	4,375
Chapter XIV (public health, &c.)	950	3,723
Theft	5,676	12,984
Receiving stolen property	1,845	4,303
Criminal Procedure Code and special and local laws ...	10,304	38,031

UNSUCCESSFUL.

Offence.		
Hurt	21,778	7,611
Wrongful confinement	1,533	312
Assault	16,627	4,581
Extortion	530	115
Cheating	702	223
Mischief	10,312	2,302
Offences relating to marriage	2,302	376
Defamation	320	82
Intimidation	684	261

It must, however, be borne in mind that many of the offences shown in this second list may be compounded, and that the composition of such an offence has the effect of an acquittal.

8. There has been little variation in the number of cases under the Code of Criminal Procedure except—

(1) under the head of public nuisances (Chapter X), the figures being—

	Cases.	Persons convicted.
1883	301	808
1882	137	333
Increase ...	164	475

(2) under the head of security for good behaviour, under which the number of persons fell from 1,601 to 1,298; and

(3) in "possession" cases, in which the figures fell from 353 to 199.

9. Under special and local laws the most numerous convictions were as follows:—

	Persons.
Section 34, Police Act	18,709
Municipalities Act	7,311
Canal Act	4,626
Cantonments Act	2,694
Gambling Act	1,529
Excise Act	1,023
Cattle Trespass Act	1,015

10. Convictions under the Police Act were most numerous in Agra (1,333), in Mirzapur (1,248), in Benares (1,136), and in Meerut (1,042); and under the Municipalities Act in Moradabad (799), in Cawnpore (643), in Meerut (595), in Saháranpur (555), and in Allahabad (528).

11. Under the Canal Act there has again been a slight increase in convictions. In Meerut 802 persons were convicted, in Bulandshahr 601, and in Etáwah 585.

12. For breaches of Cantonment rules Benares heads the list, 397 persons having been convicted; while for Cawnpore and Jhánsi the figures are 371 and 350 respectively.

13. As regards gambling prosecutions the following districts are most conspicuous:—

	Persons convicted.
Agra	206
Gházipur	149
Bareilly	118
Benares	110
Mirzapur	105

14. The number of successful prosecutions under the Excise Act was largest in Gorakhpur (103), Allahabad (73), Fatehpur (70), Mirzapur (69), and Farukhabad (61).

15. Gorakhpur alone shows a large number of successful prosecutions under the Cattle Trespass Act (112 out of the total number 1,015).

16. Sixty-eight persons out of 322 for the province were convicted in Agra under the Arms Act; while under the Inland Customs and Salt Acts, 41 and 31 out of 311 for the province were convicted in the districts of Jaunpur and Etah respectively.

17. Under the Railway Act convictions were most numerous in Cawnpore (46), Allahabad (45), and Benares (45).

18. Of the 207 convictions under the Infanticide Act 46 took place in Basti.

19. There were 277 convictions under the Stamp Act, and of these 45 took place in Jalaun and 43 in Mirzapur.

20. Out of 192 convictions under the Hackney and Stage Carriages Act, there were 71 in Allahabad alone.

21. The number of original criminal cases disposed of by Benches of Magistrates was 2,270 as against 2,713 for 1882: by unpaid Magistrates sitting singly 13,453 as against 13,541 for 1882: by stipendiary Magistrates 83,957 as against 83,260 for 1882: by Sessions Judges 1,355 as against 1,405 for 1882: and by the High Court 4 as against 7 for 1882.

22. Of Honorary Magistrates the following gentlemen disposed of a considerable number of cases and have received the thanks of the Court:—

District.	Honorary Magistrate.	Number of cases disposed of.
Budaun	Sheikh Sharif-ud-din	626
Gorakhpur	Bábu Durga Prasád	528
Meerut	Sheikh Muhammad Ali Khán	457
	Ahmadulla Khán	380

23. The number of persons convicted by the different classes of tribunals and the percentage they bore to the number acquitted were as follows:—

	Persons convicted.	Percentage.
Magistrates	89,519	51
Courts of Session	1,492	63
High Court	8	73

In Magistrates' Courts the percentage of convictions to acquittals was highest in Ballia (75), Jhánsi (70), Hamírpur (67); while it was lowest in Pilibhit (27), Basti (33), Azamgarh (35), and Sháhjahánpur (35).

Similarly, in Courts of Sessions the highest and lowest percentages are shown in the following districts:—

District.	Percentage.	District.	Percentage.
Tarái	100	Kumaun and Garhwál ...	0 each.
Muttra	90		
Saháranpur	85	Lalitpur ...	19
Jhánsi	83	Aligarh and Etah ...	35 ,,
Muzaffarnagar... ...	82		

24. The number of persons remaining under trial at the close of the year rose in Courts of Session from 176 to 210, and fell in Magistrates' Courts from 1,566 to 1,417. The arrears in the former class of Courts were heaviest in Agra and Muttra (36), in Aligarh and Etah (20), and in Farukhabad (18); while in the latter class of Courts the following districts were conspicuous: Basti (187), Azamgarh (109), Meerut (85), Kumaun (78), and Mirzapur (72).

25. The average duration of original criminal cases remained much the same as it was in 1882. It was a little over 4 days for Magistrates' Courts, 34 days for Courts of Session, and 36 days for the High Court.

26. The number of witnesses who attended the Courts was 379,952 as against 384,637 for 1882, *viz.*, 93 in the High Court as against 121; 14,111 in the Courts of Session as against 13,710, and 365,748 in Magistrates' Courts as against 370,806.

27. Of the 14,111 witnesses who attended Courts of Session, 9,372, or 66 per cent., were discharged on the first day, 2,494 on the second day, 875 on the third day, and 1,370 after the third day.

Of the 365,748 witnesses who attended Magistrates' Courts, 334,618, or 91 per cent., were discharged on the first day, 24,397 on the second day, 4,778 on the third day, and 1,955 after the third day.

28. All the witnesses who attended the High Court received their expenses. Of those who attended Courts of Session, 78 per cent., as against 73 for 1882, received theirs; while of those who attended Magistrates' Courts only 11 per cent. received any remuneration for their attendance. Last year, however, in Magistrates' Courts the percentage was less than 7; and while there has thus evidently been more attention paid by Magistrates to the remuneration of witnesses, there is still room for improvement in this respect. The districts which show the best percentages are Hamírpur (36), Lalitpur (23), Bijnor (22), Ballia (20), and Bánda (18); while in Benares the percentage was less than 1, in Garhwál 1, and in Dehra Dún, Meerut, Kumaun, and Gházipur only 4.

29. The sum paid to witnesses was Rs. 25,306, as against Rs. 18,146 for 1882. The details were :—

	1882.	1883.
	Rs.	Rs.
High Court	1,931	1,865
Courts of Session	7,049	7,683
Magistrates' Courts	9,166	15,758

The chief increase thus took place in Magistrates' Courts.

30. The average per witness was Rs. 20 in the High Court, 11 annas 1 pie in Courts of Session, and 5 annas 10 pies in Magistrates' Courts. The average payment naturally varied considerably in different districts, for in large districts witnesses have often to travel considerable distances, and correspondingly high payments have to be made ; but where there is much deviation from the provincial average, the cause ought to be easily discoverable by District Magistrates.

31. Of witnesses who attended, 10,481, or 74 per cent., were examined in Courts of Session and 331,628, or 90 per cent., in Magistrates' Courts.

32. As regards punishments, there was little or no variation in the number of persons sentenced to death, transportation or rigorous imprisonment, 202 fewer persons were sentenced to simple imprisonment, and there was a decrease of 2,965 in the number of persons fined.

33. There was a slight increase of 93 in the number of persons whipped, the number of persons whipped in 1,883 having been 4,780. Of this number the details were—

	Persons.
1. In lieu of other punishment	4,053
2. In addition to „	554
3. Juveniles for offences other than those mentioned in sections 2, 3, and 4 of the Whipping Act	173

34. Of the 4,780 persons whipped further details are—

1—5 stripes	465
6—10 „	978
11—15 „	1,190
16—20 „	1,207
21—25 „	324
26—30 „	616

35. Out of the whippings thus awarded, 4,078, or 85 per cent., took place on first convictions, and 702, or 15 per cent., on second or subsequent convictions.

36. The figures for the main offences for which whipping was inflicted were—

	Persons.
Theft	2,882
Receiving stolen property	950
Lurking house-trespass and house-breaking ...	741

37. Out of the 173 juveniles convicted for offences other than those mentioned in sections 2 to 4 of the Whipping Act, 39 were punished for having committed an unnatural offence and 40 for having committed mischief.

38. Whipping was inflicted in 16 per cent. of the cases in which it might have been legally inflicted. Last year the percentage was 22.

39. The number of persons fined was 61,262, as compared with 64,227 for 1882 ; the amount of fines imposed Rs. 2,83,594, as against Rs. 3,21,413 for 1882 ; and the amount realised Rs 2,55,303, as against Rs. 2,79,099. The percentage of fines realised to those imposed was larger than it has ever been and was 90 per cent. Last year it was 87 per cent. This shows that either the Courts now pay more attention to the status in life of the accused when inflicting a fine, or that more attention is paid to the recovery afterwards of fines which remain outstanding and are not paid in on the conclusion of the case. The fact that in Saháranpur, Ballia, and Basti more fines were realised than those inflicted during the year shows that outstanding fines must have

been realised with great care in these districts. The only district in which realisations were small was at Etah, where the amount imposed by the Sessions Court was Rs. 1,110 and that realised only Rs. 5.

40. Rs. 13,010 were paid as compensation, of which Rs. 617 were paid by Courts of Session and Rs. 12,393 by Magistrates.

41. Out of Rs. 617, the Sessions Judge of Saháranpur alone paid Rs. 400. The largest amounts paid by Magistrates were Rs. 1,480 in Kumaun, Rs. 864 in Bánda, Rs. 759 in Meerut, and Rs. 755 in Etáwah; while in Lalitpur, Azamgarh, Jalaun, Etah, and Farukhabad the amounts were only Rs. 36, Rs. 52, Rs. 56, Rs. 83, and Rs. 99 respectively.

42. There were 1,084 cases in which proceedings were taken against 3,813 persons to prevent a breach of the peace. Recognisances or security was taken from 2,508 persons. Last year the number was 2,736.

43. The number of persons was most numerous in the following districts:—

Budaun	360	Gházipur	133
Fatehpur	192	Mirzapur	127
Sháhjahánpur	175	Muttra	120

In Mainpuri only 2 persons, in Jalaun only 9 persons, and in Etáwah only 11 persons were bound down to keep the peace.

There were 716 cases in which 1,298 persons were summoned to show cause why they should not be called upon to furnish security for good behaviour. Security was ordered to be furnished by 879 persons. This shows a decrease, for last year the number was 1,005.

44. The number was largest in the following districts:—

Moradabad	77
Aligarh	75
Gorakhpur	75
Agra	59;

while in the following districts the number of persons was less than 10: Garhwál (0), Dehra Dún (2), Pilibhit (3), Muttra (6), Farukhabad (9), Jalaun (5), Jhánsi (5), Lalitpur (8), Fatehpur (5), and Allahabad (9).

45. In default of furnishing security for their good behaviour 629 persons were imprisoned, as against 646 in 1882.

46. The number of appeals preferred to Magistrates was 2,418, an increase of 546 on the number for last year, which was 1,872. Of these 2,346 were disposed of during the year.

47. Of the 4,280 appellants whose cases were disposed of the appeals of 299 were summarily rejected; and out of the remainder, the orders of Subordinate Magistrates were confirmed in their entirety in respect of 2,259, or 55 per cent.

48. Appeals were most numerous in the Courts of the Magistrates of the following districts:—

Gorakhpur	176
Moradabad	149
Meerut	146
Farukhabad	143
Aligarh	115
Gházipur	115
Bulandshahr	114

49. The number of appeals preferred to Courts of Session was 3,388, or an increase of 817 on the number preferred in 1882, which was 2,571. Three thousand three hundred and thirty-eight appeals were disposed of, or 916 in excess of the number disposed of in 1882.

50. Of the 4,562 persons whose appeals were disposed of, those of 558 were summarily rejected; while of the remainder, the orders of Magistrates were confirmed in their entirety in respect of 2,486 persons, or 62 per cent. This is an improvement on last year, when the percentage was only 52.

51. Appeals were heaviest in the Judgeships of Aligarh and Etah (354), Meerut and Bulandshahr (338), Benares (219), and Farukhabad (197).

52. The number of appeals filed in the High Court in 1883 was 606 as against 550 in 1882; 577 were disposed of.

53. Nine hundred and sixty persons who had been convicted appealed to the High Court. Of the 829 whose cases were disposed of, the appeals of 26 were summarily rejected, and the judgments of Courts of Session were upheld in their entirety in the case of 586 persons, or 72 per cent.

54. The Government preferred 5 appeals against orders of acquittal in respect of 21 persons. Out of 18 persons whose cases were disposed of, 12 were convicted, or 83 per cent. Last year the percentage was 71.

55. The number of appeals pending at the close of 1883 in all Courts as compared with 1882 was as follows :—

	1882.	1883.
Magistrates	48	72
Courts of Session	152	92
High Court	47	76

56. Arrears of appeals were highest in Courts of Session in the following Judgeships: Aligarh and Etah (22), Saháranpur and Muzaffarnagar (18), and Farukhabad (11); while in the districts of Basti, Gorakhpur, and Gházipur, the number of appeals pending at the close of the year was 16, 10, and 10 respectively.

57. The duration of appeals remained much the same. It was 10 days in the courts of District Magistrates, 13 in Courts of Session, and 33 in the High Court. In the case of Government appeals from acquittals, the duration is always high because of the delay necessarily involved in printing the papers; but there has been a marked improvement this year, the duration having fallen from 184 to 93 days.

58. Revision cases in the Courts of Magistrates rose from 920 in 1882 to 1,048 in 1883. Of these cases 1,017 were disposed of, or 118 in excess of those disposed of in 1882.

59. Of the 1,250 persons whose cases were disposed of, the applications of 695 were summarily rejected, and the orders of the Lower Court were confirmed in respect of 315, or 56 per cent. of the remainder.

60. There was also an increase in such cases in Courts of Session, the number having risen from 915 in 1882 to 1,154 in 1883. Of these cases 1,066 were disposed of, or 247 more than during the previous year.

61. Of the 1,585 persons whose cases were disposed of; the applications of 1,167 were summarily rejected; while of the remainder, the orders of the Lower Court were upheld only in respect of 74, or 17 per cent.

62. The number of such cases filed in the High Court also shows an increase, there having been 644 in 1883 against 505 in 1882. Of these, 631 were disposed of.

63. Of the 1,192 persons whose applications were disposed of, those of 166 were summarily rejected; and the orders of Lower Courts were confirmed in their entirety in respect of 426, or 41 per cent. of the remainder.

64. The largest number of such applications was filed in the Judgeships of Cawnpore and Fatehpur (163), Aligarh and Etah (135), Gorakhpur and Basti (123), and Benares (110). Arrears were heaviest in the Aligarh and Etah Judgeships (68).

In the Courts of District Magistrates, the largest number of such applications was preferred in Basti (90), Gházipur (76), Gorakhpur (72), and Moradabad and Allahabad (67 each). In Basti there were 11 cases pending at the close of the year.

65. The duration of such applications was—

	1882.	1883.
Magistrates' Courts	... 8 days.	9 days.
Courts of Session	... 14 „	19 „
High Court	... 27 „	24 „

HIGH COURT, N.-W. P.:
Allahabad, the 25th September, 1884.

J. B. THOMSON,
Registrar.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT 1.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement showing the number of Judicial divisions and the number of officers exercising original or Appellate Jurisdiction in the North-Western Provinces on the last day of the year 1883, *with the cost of tribunals.*

Name of Province.	Area.	Population.	Number of divisions for Courts under Chief Court, but superior to Chief Courts of districts.	Number of districts.	Number of sub-districts.	Total number of officers exercising original or appellate jurisdiction.					TOTAL NUMBER OF CASES DECIDED.				Total receipts of the Courts.	Total charges of the Courts.	Remarks.
						Judges of Chief Court of Province.	Judges of other Courts superior to Chief District Courts.	Judges of Chief Courts of districts.	Judges of District Courts other than Chief Courts.	Judges of other subordinate Courts.	Original.		Appeals.				
											Regular.	Miscellaneous.	Regular.	Miscellaneous.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	Sq. mls.																
Territory in the North-Western Provinces subject to the Criminal jurisdiction of the High Court.	81,865	32,720,128	21	37	179	5	21	37	...	515	97,823	3,216	6,261	2,714	...	...	
Total ...	81,865	32,720,128	21	37	179	5	21	37	...	515	97,823	3,216	6,261	2,714	...	...	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT 2.—(CRIMINAL.)

Statement of offences reported and of persons tried, convicted, and acquitted of each class of offence in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1883.

Description of offence.	Number of offences reported.	Number of cases returned as true.	Number of cases brought to trial during the year.	Number of persons					Remarks.
				Under trial during the year, including pending from previous year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Died, escaped, or transferred to another province.	Remaining under trial.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Offences against the state, chapter VI of the Indian Penal Code	1	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	
Ditto relating to the army and navy, Chapter VII	2	2	2	...	...	2	...	...	
Ditto against the public tranquillity, ditto VIII	1,296	1,222	1,153	6,349	1,821	4,375	23	130	
Ditto by or relating to public servants, ditto IX	262	169	161	246	143	98	...	5	
Contempts of the lawful authority of public servants, ditto X	2,634	2,349	2,329	5,850	2,016	3,782	5	47	
False evidence and offences against public justice, ditto XI	1,471	1,164	1,107	1,560	648	828	20	64	
Offences relating to coin and Government stamps, ditto XII	127	110	106	120	44	75	...	1	
Ditto relating to weights and measures, ditto XIII	263	233	229	575	217	356	...	2	
Ditto effecting the public health, safety, convenience, decency and morals, Chapter XIV	1,416	1,181	1,093	4,686	950	3,723	7	6	
Ditto relating to religion, Chapter XV	216	111	106	225	166	54	2	3	
Offences against property, Chapter XVII. — Offences affecting the human body, Chapter XVI. — Offences affecting life	1,620	1,442	1,273	1,660	594	977	13	76	
Causing of miscarriage, injuries to unborn children, exposure of infants and the concealment of births.	272	225	145	180	72	96	1	11	
Hurt	43,606	33,674	16,386	29,633	21,778	7,611	62	182	
Wrongful restraint and wrongful confinement	2,521	1,220	1,103	1,876	1,533	312	3	28	
Criminal force and assault	35,282	27,503	12,340	21,366	16,627	4,581	32	126	
Kidnapping, forcible abduction, slavery and forced labour	389	202	178	295	161	104	8	22	
Rape	413	227	186	212	130	67	...	15	
Unnatural offence	154	107	83	91	37	47	...	7	
Offences against property, Chapter XVII. — Theft	39,303	34,970	14,376	18,974	5,676	12,984	145	169	
Extortion	2,425	1,472	862	649	530	115	1	3	
Robbery and dacoity	882	379	298	811	436	276	4	95	
Criminal misappropriation of property	1,922	1,519	438	624	362	235	1	26	
Ditto breach of trust	1,932	1,330	743	887	480	379	4	24	
Receiving of stolen property	4,574	4,343	4,153	6,311	1,845	4,303	41	122	
Cheating	2,697	1,602	614	946	702	223	2	19	
Fraudulent deed and disposition of property	35	22	13	21	7	14	...	...	
Mischief	21,247	16,978	6,706	12,757	10,312	2,302	40	103	
Criminal trespass	34,740	30,667	8,292	10,575	6,112	4,268	27	168	
Offences relating to documents and to trade or property marks, Chapter XVIII	242	137	97	153	107	32	2	12	
Criminal breach of contracts of service, ditto XIX	92	67	131	120	70	50	...	...	
Offences relating to marriage, ditto XX	6,365	3,704	2,001	2,716	2,302	376	3	30	
Defamation, ditto XXI	1,134	891	204	403	320	82	1	...	
Criminal intimidation, insult and annoyance, ditto XXII	5,102	4,921	496	951	684	261	2	4	
Under the Code of Criminal Procedure and offences against special and local laws	27,080	24,665	23,382	48,548	10,304	38,031	86	127	
Total	2,41,717	1,98,809	1,00,287	1,80,373	87,187	91,019	540	1,627	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT 3—(CRIMINAL).

Statement of miscellaneous proceedings under the Code of Criminal Procedure in the North-Western Provinces during 1883.

Nature of proceedings.	Total number of cases before the Courts during the year.	Number of persons concerned.	Number of persons discharged.	Number of persons convicted.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
1 Frivolous or vexatious complaints summarily dealt with under Chapter XX., section 250 ...	204	252	54	198	
2 Proceedings against witnesses under Chapter VI. and Section 485 of Chapter XXXV. ...	3	3	2	1	
3 Forfeiture of bail or recognizance under Chapter XLII.	66	112	23	85	4 Remaining
4 Non-attendance of Jurors or Assessors, Chapter XXIII., Section 332	48	53	7	41	5 Ditto.
5 Contempts of Court under Chapter XXXV., Section 480	69	83	2	81	
6 Proceedings under Chapter VIII. to prevent breach of the peace	1,084	3,813	1,280	2,508	25 Ditto.
7 Security for good behaviour under Chapter VIII.	716	1,298	352	879	67 Ditto.
8 Proceedings against public nuisances, Chapter X.	301	812	1	808	3 Ditto.
9 Possession, Chapter XII. and Section 522 of Chapter XLIII.	79	199	62	129	8 Ditto.
10 Maintenance, Chapter XXXVI.	726	713	477	230	6 Ditto.
Total ...	3,296	7,333	2,260	4,960	118 Ditto.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT 4—(CRIMINAL).

Statement showing the general result of criminal trials in the tribunals of various classes in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1883.

Class of courts.	Total number of persons under trial.	Persons whose cases were disposed of.					Persons remaining under trial at the end of the year.	Number of cases disposed of during the year.	Average number of days during which each case lasted.	Number of witnesses examined.	Remarks.
		Died, escaped or transferred to another province.	Discharged or acquitted.	Convicted.		Committed or referred.					
				On regular trial.	On summary trial.						
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
Village Officers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Subordinate Magistrates. Special Magistrates, Section 14 ...	5,255	7	2,441	2,229	522	9	47	3,233	3	6,678	
Subordinate Magistrates. Honorary Magistrates sitting singly,	20,361	36	9,675	10,489	...	48	113	10,220	4	24,811	
Subordinate Magistrates. Stipendiary Magistrates sitting singly. 2nd and 3rd class ...	74,068	206	40,465	32,571	...	513	313	39,736	4	1,13,639	
Subordinate Magistrates. Stipendiary Magistrates sitting singly. 1st class	69,911	243	29,433	27,352	10,323	1,665	895	42,134	6	1,73,810	
Subordinate Magistrates. Benches of Magistrates	7,533	...	3,516	3,973	...	17	27	2,270	8	5,328	
Chief Magistrates of districts	3,141	24	867	1,199	861	168	22	2,087	6	7,362	
Courts of Sessions	2,580	24	787	1,492	...	67	210	1,355	34	10,481	
High Court	11	...	3	8	...	...	...	4	36	93	
Total	1,82,860	540	87,187	79,313	11,706	2,487	1,627	1,01,039	5	3,42 202	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT 5—(CRIMINAL).

Statement showing the punishments inflicted by the various criminal tribunals in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1883.

Class of tribunal.	Persons sentenced to							Persons ordered to find or give security or recognizance to keep the peace or sureties for good behaviour.	Persons imprisoned in default of security for good behaviour.	Detail of Punishment.															Number of boys whose sentences were commuted to detention in a reformatory school.
				Imprisonment.						Fine.									Imprisonment.					Whipped.			
	Death.	Transportation.	Penal servitude.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Forfeiture of property.	Fine.	Whipping.			Rs. 10 and under.	Rs. 50 and under.	Rs. 100 and under.	Rs. 500 and under.	Rs. 1,000 and under.	Above Rs. 1,000.	Total amount of fines imposed during the year.	Total amount of fines realised during the year.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	15 days and under.	6 months and under.	2 years and under.	7 years and under.	Above 7 years.	10 stripes and under.	20 stripes and under.	30 stripes and under.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Village Officers	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Subordinate Magistrates. Special Magistrates, section 14, ...	...	...	...	265	36	...	2,405	183	36	...	6,009	2,100	265	...	...	...	8,374	8,040	234	94	138	19	...	...	84	95	4	
Honorary „ sitting singly ...	...	...	...	831	90	...	9,679	72	22	1	15,652	3,841	200	...	...	...	19,693	17,022	739	325	573	23	...	...	35	33	4	
Stipendiary Magistrates sitting singly — 2nd and 3rd class ...	...	...	...	5,978	339	...	27,187	143	51	3	60,225	24,530	911	200	...	...	85,866	82,695	2,294	2,850	3,499	18	...	...	56	70	17	
Stipendiary Magistrates sitting singly — 1st class ...	...	...	...	15,419	727	...	17,131	3,954	2,941	505	58,040	60,762	15,224	10,900	2,000	...	1,41,926	1,23,796	7,259	1,777	8,721	5,642	6	...	1,069	2,039	846	
Benches of Magistrates	...	...	...	104	17	...	3,942	2	...	...	4,223	509	...	...	...	...	4,737	4,046	128	59	62	...	...	...	2	...	...	
Chief Magistrates of districts	...	...	...	586	38	...	872	303	318	117	2,911	4,035	1,536	1,720	...	...	10,252	9,109	1,039	112	278	221	13	...	165	100	38	
Courts of Sessions	67	228	...	1,173	15	...	44	123	19	3	113	925	207	1,801	1,600	3,000	7,646	4,395	617	10	103	345	667	57	1	65	57	
High Court	2	1	...	5	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	100	...	...	5,000	5,100	5,100	...	...	...	1	4	...	...	...	...	
Total	69	229	...	24,361	1,312	...	61,262	4,780	3,387	629	1,42,178	96,752	13,443	14,621	3,600	8,000	2,83,594	2,55,303	13,010	5,227	13,430	6,269	690	57	1,412	2,402	966	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT 5A—(CRIMINAL).

Statement showing the particulars of whippings inflicted by the criminal tribunals in the North-Western Provinces during 1883.

PART I.

STATEMENT SHOWING WHIPPINGS INFLICTED UNDER SECTIONS 2 AND 3, ACT VI, 1864, IN LIEU OF OTHER PUNISHMENT.

Offences for which awarded.	Number of stripes awarded.												Total.	Remarks.
	5 *and under.*		6 *to* 10.		11 *to* 15.		16 *to* 20.		21 *to* 25.		26 *to* 30.			
	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	2nd or subsequent conviction.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
In lieu of other punishment (*Sections* 2 *and* 3, *Act VI*, 1864).														
1. Theft, as defined in ... Section 378, Indian Penal Code.	282	3	528	8	472	35	369	19	98	5	175	27	2,021	
" 380 " ...	59	...	166	1	153	5	78	1	23	1	30	1	522	
" 381 " ...	7	...	14	...	23	...	9	...	5	...	4	...	62	
2. Extortion as defined in ... " 388 " ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
" 389 " ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. Dishonestly receiving stolen property as defined in " 411 " ...	55	...	117	1	177	6	262	4	58	5	112	19	807	
4. Lurking house-trespass as defined in " 443 " ...	3	...	9	1	31	2	7	1	1	...	3	1	59	
5. Lurking house-trespass by night as defined in ... " 444 " ...	2	...	14	...	70	...	208	1	52	...	40	1	388	
6. House-breaking as defined in ... " 445 " ...	4	...	23	...	11	4	12	...	6	...	2	...	62	
7. House-breaking by night as defined in " 446 " ...	5	...	15	1	37	2	26	...	10	...	13	...	109	
8. Offence under section 49, Act XXVI., 1870	9	...	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	16	
9. Offence under section 19, Act XXVII., 1871	...	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	
10. Offence under section 14, Act III., 1880	...	...	1	...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	4	
Total ...	425	3	891	12	980	54	973	26	258	11	380	40	4,053	

PART II.

Showing whippings inflicted in addition to other punishments, sections 3 and 4, Act VI., 1864.

Offences for which awarded.	Number of stripes.						Total.	Remarks.
	5 and under.	6 to 10.	11 to 15.	16 to 20.	21 to 25.	26 to 30		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
In addition to other punishments (Sections 3 and 4).								
A.—Section 3 :—								
1 Theft as defined in ... ... Section 378 I. P. C. ...	4	33	60	57	9	60	223	
„ 380 „ ...	1	15	5	11	6	12	50	
„ 381 „ ...	...	...	...	3	1	...	4	
2 Extortion as defined in ... ... „ 388 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ 389 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3 Dishonestly receiving stolen property, as defined in ... ... „ 411 „ ...	...	3	39	35	9	56	142	
„ 412 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	
4 Lurking house trespass as defined in ... „ 443 „ ...	...	...	1	...	...	1	2	
5 Lurking house trespass by night as defined in „ 444 „ ...	...	1	3	49	26	8	87	
6 House-breaking as defined in ... „ 445 „ ...	1	...	4	1	...	6	12	
7 House-breaking by night as defined in „ 446 „ ...	...	1	2	5	4	10	22	
8 Offences under Section 19, Act XXVII., 1871	...	...	...	2	...	...	2	
9 Ditto ditto 14, Act III., 1880...	...	...	...	1	...	2	3	
B.—Section 4 :—								
1 False evidence as defined in ... Section 193 I. P. C. ...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ 194 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ 195 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2 False charge of unnatural offence as defined in ... ... Sections 211 & 377 I. P. C.,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3 Assault as defined in ... ... Section 351 I. P. C. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
4 Rape as defined in ... ... „ 375 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
5 Unnatural offence as defined in ... „ 377 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
6 Robbery as defined in ... ... „ 390 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
7 Dacoity as defined in ... ... „ 391 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
8 Attempt at robbery as defined in ... „ 393 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
9 Hurt in committing robbery as defined in „ 394 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
10 Receiving stolen property as defined in „ 413 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ 463 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ 466 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
11 Forgery as defined in ... ... „ 467 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ 468 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ 469 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
12 Lurking house trespass as defined in „ 443 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
13 Lurking house trespass by night as defined in „ 444 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	
14 House-breaking as defined in ... „ 445 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
15 House-breaking by night as defined in „ 446 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	
Total ...	6	53	114	164	55	162	554	

PART III.

Showing whippings inflicted under section 5, Act VI., 1864, on Juveniles for offences other than those specified in parts I and II.

Offence.	Stripes.												Total.	Remarks.
	5 *and under.*		6 *to* 10.		11 *to* 15.		16 *to* 20.		21 *to* 25.		26 *to* 30.			
	1st conviction.	Subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	Subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	Subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	Subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	Subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	Subsequent conviction.		
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1. Rioting Section 147, I. P. C. ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	
2. Personating public servant „ 170, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3. False information „ 182, „ ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
4. Giving false evidence „ 193, „ ...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	
5. Obstruction by a person to his lawful apprehension Section 224, I. P. C. ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
6. Altering appearance of coin „ 248, „ ...	1	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	
7. Causing death „ 304A, „ ...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	
8. Attempt to commit suicide „ 309, „	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	
9. Voluntarily causing hurt „ 323, „ ...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	
10. Causing hurt by dangerous weapon „ 324, „ ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
11. Voluntarily causing grievous hurt „ 325, „ ...	2	...	1	1	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	
12. Criminal force otherwise than on grave provocation Section 352, I. P. C. ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
13. Criminal force to deter a public servant from discharge of his duty Section 353, I. P. C. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	
14. Assault or criminal force to a woman „ 354, „ ...	1	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	4	
15. Kidnapping „ 363, „ ...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
16. Rape „ 375, „ ...	...	...	1	...	4	...	5	...	...	...	1	...	11	
17. Unnatural offence „ 377, „ ...	...	...	...	...	3	...	3	1	...	...	32	...	39	
18. Theft „ 378, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	
19. Extortion „ 383, „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
20. Robbery „ 390, „ ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
21. Criminal misappropriation „ 403, „ ...	...	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	
22. Criminal breach of trust „ 405, „ ...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	
23. Assisting in concealment of stolen property „ 414, „ ...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	
24. Cheating „ 415, „ ...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	
25. Mischief „ 425, „ ...	1	...	1	...	16	...	22	...	...	...	...	...	40	
26. House trespass „ 448, „ ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
27. House-breaking „ 457, „ ...	2	...	3	...	3	...	4	...	...	...	1	...	13	
28. Gambling Act III., 1867	5	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	8	
29. Treasure Trove Act VI., 1878	...	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	
30. Railway Act IV, 1879	12	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	16	
31. Excise Act XXII, 1881	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...		
Total ...	31	...	21	1	42	...	43	1	...	...	34	...	173	

PART IV.

Showing relative number of times whipping was awarded as compared with other punishments.

Punishments.	Number.	Remarks.
1	2	3
1. Total number of whippings awarded *	4,780	
2. Total number of other punishments †	29,996	
Percentage of whippings	16	

* Total of column 14 of Parts I and III and of column 8, Part II.

† Not counting punishments of which whipping was a part, but including all cases in which whipping might have been inflicted.

JUDICIAL STATEMENT 6—(CRIMINAL).

Statement showing the result of appeal and revision in the criminal cases in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1883.

Tribunals.	Number of persons.												Remarks.
	Total number of appellants and applicants for revision before the Courts.	Died, escaped or transferred to another province.	Appeals or applications rejected.	Sentence or orders confirmed.	Sentence enhanced.	Sentence reduced or otherwise altered.	Sentence reversed.	Proceedings quashed.	New trial or further enquiry ordered.	Referred for revision to the High Court.	Pending trial.	Average number of days during which each appeal lasted.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14
APPEALS.													
To Chief Magistrates of districts	4,416	...	299	2,259	1	494	1,118	44	55	10	136	10	
To Courts of Sessions	4,741	2	558	2,486	10	462	851	52	130	11	179	13	
High Court ... by persons convicted	960	...	26	586	...	81	124	...	12	...	131*	33	
High Court ... by Government from judgments of acquittal. ...	21	...	...	3	...	...	12	...	3	...	3	93	
Total	10,138	2	883	5,334	11	1,037	2,105	96	200	21	449	14	
REVISION.													
By Chief Magistrates of districts	1,289	1	695	315	...	3	24	14	141	57	39	9	
By Courts of Sessions	1,772	1	1,167	74	...	2	24	6	94	217	187	19	
By High Court	1,399	...	166	426	30	102	275	...	193	...	207	24	
Total	4,460	2	2,028	815	30	107	323	20	428	274	433	16	
GRAND TOTAL	14,598	4	2,911	6,149	41	1,144	2,428	116	628	295	882	14	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT 13.—(CRIMINAL).

Statement showing use of jurors and assessors in the Criminal Courts in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1883.

Classes of Courts in which jurors or assessors are employed.	Established or average number of jury or assessors in each case, and prescribed qualifications.	Number of cases tried by jury.	Number of cases tried with assessors.	JURY TRIALS.					ASSESSORS TRIALS.			Remarks.
				Cases in which the Judge approved of the verdict.	Cases in which the Judge did not approve of the verdict.		Number of persons of the verdict in respect to whom the Judge disapproved.		Number of cases in which the Judge agreed with assessors.	Number of cases in which the Judge differed from		
					Wholly.	Partially.	Whose cases he referred under section 307 of Criminal Procedure Code.	Whose cases he did not refer under section 307 of Criminal Procedure Code.		One assessor.	Both assessors.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
II.—CRIMINAL COURTS.												
Magistrate's Courts under Chapter X., Criminal Procedure Code.	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Courts of Sessions ... Jurors ...	Number of Jurors, 7											
Assessors ...	Number of Assessors, 2 or more ...											
...	Qualifications as described in sections 319 and 320 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.	...	1,242	...	...	...	...	...	939	65	238	
High Court, original Criminal Jurisdiction. Jurors ...	Qualifications as described in sections 319 and 320 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.	4	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
	Total	5	1,242	5	...	...	...	...	939	65	238	

A.—*Showing in detail for each class the number of persons convicted in* 1883.

District.	Offences against the State and relating to the army and navy, chapters VI. and VII., Indian Penal Code.	Offences against the public tranquillity, chapter VIII.	Offences by or relating to public servants, chapters IX. & X.	Offences against public justice and false evidence, chapter XI.	Offences relating to Coin, stamps, weights and measures, chapters XII. and XIII.	Offences affecting public health, &c., and religion, chapters XIV. and XV.	Offences affecting the human body, chapter XVI.	Offences against property, chapter XVII.	Miscellaneous offences under the Penal Code, chapters XVIII. to XXII.	Total offences under the Penal Code.	Offences under the Code of Criminal Procedure and under special laws.	Grand Total.
Dehra Dún ...	...	30	27	2	1	36	75	189	23	383	745	1,128
Saháranpur ...	...	54	150	17	5	44	324	612	13	1,219	1,265	2,484
Muzaffarnagar ...	1	14	45	15	4	72	245	545	11	952	1,038	1,990
Meerut	...	175	691	39	211	86	411	977	29	2,619	2,981	5,600
Bulandshahr ...	...	6	49	15	3	862	493	365	9	1,802	1,403	3,205
Aligarh	...	22	45	16	10	17	440	726	9	1,285	1,378	2,663
Kumaun	...	64	48	37	1	6	223	217	89	685	717	1,402
Garhwál	...	24	65	4	2	2	52	22	18	189	34	223
Tarai	...	25	21	9	...	2	117	143	8	325	112	437
Bijnor	...	39	61	22	1	986	224	354	15	1,702	616	2,318
Moradabad ...	...	230	157	33	3	53	562	805	39	1,882	1,503	3,385
Budaun	...	132	247	49	5	203	416	729	8	1,789	734	2,523
Bareilly	...	146	137	35	10	146	563	1,035	29	2,101	1,792	3,893
Pilibhít	...	24	23	12	8	8	168	308	22	573	431	1,004
Sháhjahánpur ...	...	234	67	24	2	13	492	893	17	1,742	723	2,465
Muttra	...	72	120	36	6	106	505	687	28	1,560	1,357	2,917
Agra	...	148	275	38	23	145	644	1,139	23	2,435	2,462	4,897
Farukhabad ...	...	89	43	45	8	10	416	708	9	1,328	919	2,247
Mainpuri	...	158	94	12	7	186	271	422	7	1,157	1,054	2,211
Etáwah	...	41	52	48	4	15	249	544	8	961	945	1,906
Etah	...	70	126	16	4	14	414	612	2	1,258	662	1,920
Jalaun	...	19	121	9	3	26	178	386	16	758	504	1,262
Jhánsi	...	64	24	13	20	2	252	590	68	1,033	782	1,815
Lalitpur	...	19	29	...	3	5	85	185	20	346	175	521
Cawnpore	...	199	47	25	4	300	402	978	28	1,983	1,783	3,766
Fatehpur	...	83	50	12	1	43	356	597	15	1,157	818	1,975
Bánda	...	168	79	18	18	19	607	1,306	37	2,252	324	2,576
Allahabad ...	1	141	24	34	1	146	735	823	64	1,969	1,937	3,906
Hamírpur	...	65	16	8	6	4	209	464	8	780	338	1,118
Jaunpur	...	104	46	24	6	16	337	571	11	1,115	586	1,701
Gorakhpur	...	315	46	33	6	20	781	1,579	29	2,809	963	3,772
Basti	...	276	106	12	3	7	264	904	15	1,587	236	1,823
Azamgarh	...	331	37	23	5	46	364	1,236	4	2,046	495	2,541
Mirzapur	...	419	124	16	22	30	543	664	14	1,832	1,816	3,648
Benares	...	115	109	39	6	34	554	895	22	1,774	2,098	3,872
Gházipur	...	110	352	27	7	61	548	1,468	21	2,594	1,564	4,158
Ballia	...	150	127	11	2	6	268	421	13	998	741	1,739
Total ...	2	4,375	3,880	828	431	3,777	13,787 8	25,099	801	52,980 8	38,031	91,011 8
High Court, N.-W. P. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
GRAND TOTAL ...	2	4,375	3,880	828	431	3,777	13,795	25,099	801	52,988	38,031	91,019

B.—*Showing the number of cases brought to trial during the year, disposed of, and pending in the Courts of Session and the Courts of Magistrates in 1883.*

Districts.	*Courts of Session.*			*Courts of Magistrates.*			Remarks.
	Brought to trial.	Disposed of.	Pending.	Brought to trial.	Disposed of.	Pending.	
Dehra Dún	17	17	...	1,258	1,256	2	
Sahárunpur	33	33	...	4,129	4,043	86	
Muzaffarnagar	44	44	...	2,231	2,212	19	
Meerut	55	53	2	4,624	4,569	55	
Bulandshahr	16	15	1	3,396	3,372	24	
Aligarh	36	34	2	3,019	3,004	15	
Kumaun	12	12	...	1,405	1,387	18	
Garhwál	3	3	...	145	143	2	
Tarai	3	3	...	606	605	1	
Bijnor	36	32	4	2,515	2,507	8	
Moradabad	86	79	7	3,164	3,138	26	
Budaun	55	47	8	2,295	2,273	22	
Bareilly	93	90	3	4,542	4,532	10	
Pilibhít	20	20	...	2,113	2,105	8	
Sháhjahánpur	47	46	1	4,081	4,066	15	
Muttra	39	28	11	2,757	2,731	26	
Agra	64	53	11	5,136	5,081	55	
Farukhabad	75	66	9	2,531	2,496	35	
Mainpuri	44	40	4	2,160	2,147	13	
Etáwah	31	31	...	2,016	2,003	13	
Etah	46	39	7	2,752	2,732	20	
Jalaun	7	7	...	1,100	1,098	2	
Jhánsi	5	4	1	1,494	1,487	7	
Lalitpur	7	7	...	645	639	6	
Cawnpore	52	45	7	4,224	4,206	18	
Fatehpur	74	66	8	1,753	1,744	9	
Banda	34	30	4	2,606	2,596	10	
Allahabad	68	63	5	3,053	3,019	34	
Hamirpur	29	28	1	1,091	1,046	5	
Jaunpur	25	25	...	3,102	3,076	26	
Gorakhpur	70	68	2	3,928	3,887	41	
Basti	23	22	1	3,122	3,046	76	
Azamgarh	53	49	4	3,720	3,709	11	
Mirzapur	61	57	4	3,342	3,300	42	
Benares	51	48	3	4,343	4,335	13	
Gházipur	33	33	...	3,962	3,931	31	
Ballia	18	18	...	1,229	1,219	10	
Total ...	1,465	1,355	110	1,00,491	99,689	814	

C.—*Showing the number of persons concerned in cases decided under the miscellaneous provisions of the Criminal Procedure Code during* 1883.

Districts.	Frivolous or vexatious complaints summarily dealt with under Chapter XX., Section 250.	Proceeding against witnesses under Chapter VI., and Section 485 of Chapter XXV.	Forfeiture of bail or recognisance under Chapter XLII.	Non-attendance of Jurors or Assessors, Chapter XXIII., Section 332.	Contempts of Court under Chapter XXV., Section 480.	Proceedings under Chapter VIII., to prevent breach of peace.	Proceedings under Chapter VIII., security for good behaviour.	Proceedings against public nuisances, Chapter X.	Possession, Chapter XII. and Section 522 of Chapter XLIII.	Maintenance XXXVI.	Total of persons.
Dehra Dún	...	...	...	...	...	19	4	...	3	17	43
Saháranpur	6	...	1	3	...	72	46	5	...	19	152
Muzaffarnagar	...	...	2	4	...	46	36	...	...	1	89
Meerut	20	...	6	...	13	97	60	...	4	12	212
Bulandshahr	3	...	7	...	...	85	24	8	7	13	147
Aligarh	8	...	...	...	...	92	96	...	4	6	206
Kumaun	...	...	5	...	1	34	14	4	...	23	81
Garhwal	...	...	...	...	...	8	...	...	...	8	16
Tarai	...	...	...	...	...	54	24	...	...	...	78
Bijnor	30	...	3	...	2	31	29	107	6	19	227
Moradabad	7	...	...	...	1	108	84	...	...	...	200
Budaun	5	...	3	...	...	430	68	...	3	20	529
Bareilly	11	...	1	2	4	93	51	...	5	21	188
Pilibhít	...	...	2	...	...	71	14	...	...	4	91
Sháhjahánpur	3	...	6	9	1	303	27	...	13	17	379
Muttra	1	...	9	2	13	147	15	...	...	2	189
Agra	1	...	2	3	3	96	96	...	...	5	206
Farukhabad	8	...	...	4	9	130	14	1	...	13	179
Mainpuri	8	...	...	...	...	9	20	...	...	3	40
Etáwah	15	...	2	...	6	11	24	...	1	5	64
Etah	16	...	...	1	...	78	57	88	...	6	246
Jalaun	1	...	...	...	...	13	8	...	...	1	23
Jhánsi	50	...	1	...	...	51	9	...	...	33	144
Lalitpur	1	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	11	22
Cawnpore	1	...	2	...	18	47	15	56	4	10	153
Fatehpur	...	...	7	...	...	265	30	...	1	21	324
Bánda	13	...	13	11	...	155	17	...	23	19	251
Allahabad	7	1	6	2	1	118	28	7	20	37	227
Hamirpur	1	2	7	3	...	101	40	49	4	10	217
Jaunpur	10	...	1	...	...	101	20	...	6	25	163
Gorakhpur	4	...	12	...	2	207	111	455	32	40	863
Basti	4	...	...	...	5	164	28	...	18	34	253
Azamgarh	...	...	...	7	1	12	28	...	12	28	88
Mirzapur	5	...	6	1	...	195	62	...	5	67	341
Benares	9	...	...	1	...	52	26	...	...	135	223
Gházipur	...	...	...	...	1	151	29	32	17	26	256
Ballia	4	...	8	...	2	162	34	...	11	2	223
Total ...	252	3	112	53	83	3,813	1,298	812	199	713	7,338

D.—*Showing the results of trials in the Courts of Session in* 1883 *(as affecting persons).*

Districts.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Referred.	Died, escaped, or transferred.	Remaining under trial.	Number per cent. of persons entered in columns 3 and 4, and of those whose cases were referred under section 374 (C.P.C.), who were convicted.	Remarks.
Dehra Dún ...	25	5	15	1	4	...	71	
Saháranpur ...	52	7	44	1	...	...	85	
Muzaffarnagar ...	78	13	64	1	...	...	82	
Meerut ...	97	45	48	4	...	...	50	
Bulandshahr ...	21	8	12	1	...	...	60	
Aligarh ...	58	36	19	1	...	2	35	
Kumaun ...	10	4	...	...	...	6	00	
Garhwal ...	4	1	...	...	...	3	00	
Tarai ...	3	...	2	...	...	1	100	
Bijnor ...	103	47	44	...	4	8	49	
Moradabad ...	151	66	72	...	3	10	53	
Budaun ...	92	35	42	2	...	13	52	
Bareilly ...	203	79	115	2	1	6	58	
Pilibhít ...	30	6	24	...	...	...	80	
Sháhjahánpur ...	81	18	48	4	...	11	70	
Muttra ...	63	4	35	1	...	23	90	
Agra ...	105	20	66	4	2	13	73	
Farukhabad ...	168	66	80	3	1	18	53	
Mainpuri ...	76	22	47	1	...	6	68	
Etáwah ...	39	7	31	1	...	...	80	
Etah ...	89	46	25	...	...	18	35	
Jalaun ...	20	7	13	...	...	...	65	
Jhánsi ...	8	1	5	1	...	1	83	
Lalitpur ...	11	7	2	2	...	...	12	
Cawnpore ...	76	18	50	7	...	1	67	
Fatehpur ...	132	23	91	7	5	6	75	
Bánda ...	99	28	52	...	1	18	65	
Allahabad ...	121	30	78	3	...	10	70	
Hamírpur ...	53	10	40	...	...	3	80	
Jaunpur ...	35	15	18	2	...	...	56	
Gorakhpur ...	102	18	77	2	...	5	76	
Basti ...	31	9	19	2	1	...	63	
Azamgarh ...	89	23	51	2	...	13	69	
Mirzapur ...	103	34	60	4	2	3	61	
Benares ...	85	16	54	3	...	12	74	
Gházipur ...	38	6	30	2	...	...	80	
Ballia ...	29	7	19	3	...	...	66	
Total ...	2,580	787	1,492	67	24	210	63	
High Court, N.-W. Provinces ...	11	3	8	...	...	...	73	
Total ...	2,591	790	1,500	67	24	210	63	

E.—*Showing the results of trials in the Courts of Magistrates in* 1883 *as affecting persons.*

Districts.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Committed or referred.	Died, escaped or transferred.	Remaining under trial.	Number per cent. of persons entered in columns 3 and 4 who were convicted.	Remarks.
Dehra Dún	1,897	760	1,112	23	...	2	60	
Saháranpur	4,086	1,542	2,439	49	10	46	64	
Muzaffarnagar	3,468	1,439	1,943	60	...	26	57	
Meerut	10,606	4,884	5,545	88	4	85	53	
Bulandshahr	7,648	4,377	3,193	22	11	45	42	
Aligarh	5,495	2,760	2,639	61	2	33	49	
Kumaun	2,818	1,330	1,389	18	3	78	51	
Garhwal	355	114	222	7	...	12	66	
Tarai	1,124	681	436	4	2	1	39	
Bijnor	5,015	2,674	2,269	60	2	10	46	
Moradabad	5,369	1,833	3,313	142	34	47	64	
Budaun	3,979	1,373	2,475	90	1	40	64	
Bareilly	8,008	4,017	3,775	199	...	17	48	
Pilibhit	3,651	2,636	968	28	4	15	27	
Sháhjahánpur	7,037	4,507	2,428	81	...	21	35	
Muttra	5,130	2,125	2,890	59	9	47	59	
Agra	9,246	4,122	4,834	92	89	109	54	
Farukhabad	4,687	2,265	2,167	165	4	86	49	
Mainpuri	3,947	1,965	1,868	81	2	31	49	
Etawah	3,331	1,323	1,857	39	99	13	58	
Etáh	4,708	2,668	1,882	82	47	29	42	
Jalaun	2,335	1,060	1,245	20	8	2	54	
Jhánsi	2,627	788	1,810	7	11	11	70	
Lalitpur	1,162	612	516	13	12	9	46	
Cawnpore	7,086	2,943	4,026	72	17	28	59	
Fatehpur	3,245	1,234	1,879	113	3	16	61	
Bánda	5,140	2,499	2,533	86	4	18	49	
Allahabad	7,394	3,398	3,817	108	4	67	53	
Hamirpur	1,705	532	1,103	50	12	8	67	
Jaunpur	4,522	2,725	1,710	34	...	53	39	
Gorakhpur	6,318	2,443	3,693	111	5	66	60	
Basti	5,869	3,755	1,803	26	98	187	33	
Azamgarh	6,579	4,069	2,396	87		18	35	
Mirzapur	6,705	2,924	3,609	96	4	72	57	
Benares	7,919	3,940	3,892	66	2	19	48	
Gházipur	7,573	3,361	4,126	49	3	34	55	
Ballia	2,485	719	1,717	32	1	16	75	
Total ...	1,80,269	86,397	89,519	2,420	516	1,417	51	

F.—*Showing the number of witnesses examined and the number of persons to whom payments were made on account of expenses in Courts of Session and Courts of Magistrates in* 1883.

Districts.	Number of witnesses examined.				Amount paid as expenses.		Remarks.
	Courts of Session.		*Magistrates' Courts.*		*Courts of Session.*	*Magistrates' Courts.*	
	Number of persons to whom payments were made	Number of witnesses examined.	Number of persons to whom payments were made	Number of witnesses examined.	Amount paid.	Amount paid.	
Dehra Dún	99	120	141	2,616	31	143	
Saháranpur	319	280	836	9,109	124	378	
Muzaffarnagar	417	421	1 352	7,222	277	365	
Meerut	419	488	640	12,549	602	283	
Bulandshahr	65	101	1,285	7,717	22	567	
Aligarh	231	272	600	9,645	152	181	
Kumaun	28	57	135	3,150	26	132	
Garhwal	10	11	14	794	13	43	
Tarai	17	17	155	1,834	16	156	
Bijnor	140	154	1,604	6,634	83	548	
Moradabad	532	624	2,314	13,762	384	1,051	
Budaun	291	291	1,809	11,348	205	588	
Bareilly	815	785	2,786	15,706	402	725	
Pilibhít	168	149	525	4,238	155	202	
Sháhjahánpur	419	283	1,129	9,865	205	435	
Muttra	272	285	1,312	8,545	171	438	
Agra	480	503	1,349	15,854	331	1,106	
Farukhabad	790	518	957	12,188	822	400	
Mainpuri	258	159	1,248	7,441	124	342	
Etáwah	193	151	1,018	7,199	83	498	
Etah	434	372	904	10,103	473	309	
Jalaun	96	89	685	3,908	37	162	
Jhánsi	46	48	904	5,667	26	331	
Lalitpur	89	74	598	2,124	52	168	
Cawnpore	330	372	1,242	11,172	121	369	
Fatehpur	676	605	1,584	8,720	296	493	
Bánda	395	378	2,222	11,223	237	812	
Allahabad	548	523	980	13,279	394	502	
Hamírpur	262	261	1,931	4,772	218	487	
Jaunpur	114	115	1,311	8,243	53	337	
Gorakhpur	534	432	2,043	19,566	523	754	
Basti	189	214	1,387	9,755	143	379	
Azamgarh	342	337	1,833	10,317	195	596	
Mirzapur	480	388	2,131	11,982	282	875	
Benares	263	354	116	13,611	61	67	
Gházipur	177	150	573	13,927	177	190	
Ballia	120	100	1,345	5,843	112	411	
Total ...	11,058	10,481	42,998	3,31,628	7,683	15,758	
High Court, N.-W. P. ...	93	93	...	...	1,365	...	
Grand Total ...	11,151	10,574	42,998	3,31,628	9,548	15,758	

G.—*Showing the detention of witnesses in Courts of Session and Courts of Magistrates in* 1883.

Districts.	Number of witnesses discharged.							
	Courts of Session.				*Magistrates' Courts.*			
	On the 1st day.	On the 2nd day.	On the 3rd day.	After the 3rd day.	On the 1st day.	On the 2nd day.	On the 3rd day.	After the 3rd day.
Dehra Dún	135	...	...	...	2,988	40	...	...
Saháranpur	334	17	...	...	8,725	1,026	219	53
Muzaffarnagar	459	69	...	...	7,805	413	50	48
Meerut	379	164	25	213	12,167	1,197	414	198
Bulandshahr	158	...	...	...	8,496	422	47	55
Aligarh	140	72	28	83	9,689	582	83	3
Kumaun	57	...	...	...	3,118	56	37	22
Garhwál	11	...	...	...	782	12	...	...
Taráí	17	...	...	...	2,013	...	...	...
Bijnor	89	43	25	12	6,789	423	43	4
Moradabad	437	162	68	48	13,616	1,582	464	268
Budaun	154	97	40	41	11,193	530	57	...
Bareilly	1,047	113	24	75	16,338	475	94	10
Pilibhít	174	13	58	...	4,475	317	43	23
Sháhjahánpur	297	83	52	21	10,238	773	163	51
Muttra	309	44	...	44	8,414	409	66	103
Agra	346	178	31	106	17,007	1,190	80	37
Farukhabad	548	189	65	111	10,852	1,394	314	40
Mainpuri	163	58	6	48	7,407	603	86	20
Etáwah	162	43	6	19	7,292	360	16	...
Etah	51	102	58	291	10,006	194	14	...
Jalaun	24	78	11	...	3,986	197	13	10
Jhánsi	18	36	...	...	5,676	438	63	...
Lalitpur	49	48	...	...	2,405	164	21	...
Cawnpore	299	70	60	11	12,729	531	21	21
Fatehpur	514	126	101	...	8,262	905	241	96
Bánda	344	54	...	...	10,637	1,173	297	259
Allahabad	543	49	43	103	15,055	637	96	35
Hamírpur	228	42	...	...	4,759	363	130	17
Jaunpur	112	17	...	...	8,828	646	72	18
Gorakhpur	280	158	65	108	17,666	2,596	653	324
Basti	140	45	17	22	9,186	1,060	242	24
Azamgarh	394	68	...	...	9,812	696	41	57
Mirzápur	328	146	54	...	12,406	935	196	66
Benares	400	46	20	...	13,741	686	96	18
Gházipur	137	44	10	3	14,492	625	93	...
Ballia	95	20	8	11	5,568	747	213	73
Total ...	9,372	2,494	875	1,370	3,34,618	24,397	4,778	1,955

II.—*Showing the total amount of fines imposed in the exercise of original Jurisdiction by the Criminal Courts in* 1883, *the amount realised, and the amount paid by way of compensation.*

Districts.	*Courts of Session.*			*Magistrates' Courts.*			Remarks.
	Total amount of fines.	Amount realised.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realised.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Dehra Dún	...	...	...	5,042	4,116	316	
Saháranpur	590	590	400	7,613	7,655	231	
Muzaffarnagar	671	651	20	6,057	5,838	233	
Meerut	...	...	...	21,090	19,677	759	
Bulandshahr	...	...	...	8,290	7,891	193	
Aligarh	...	...	...	7,680	6,918	130	
Kumaun	...	...	...	6,804	5,993	1,480	
Garhwál	...	...	...	1,396	1,371	398	
Tarái	...	...	...	1,924	1,713	475	
Bijnor	...	...	...	4,935	4,727	138	
Moradabad	...	...	...	9,284	8,013	109	
Budaun	...	...	...	7,532	6,764	614	
Bareilly	3,650	2,470	...	12,082	10,556	523	
Pilibhít	...	87	147	2,197	1,931	146	
Sháhjahánpur	...	...	...	6,370	5,748	452	
Muttra	75	29	...	9,447	8,379	394	
Agra	910	660	50	8,770	7,888	391	
Farukhabad	...	...	...	7,980	5,133	99	
Mainpuri	...	...	...	5,440	5,365	236	
Etáwah	...	...	...	6,892	6,050	755	
Etah	1,110	5	...	6,752	5,345	83	
Jalaun	...	...	...	2,308	1,783	56	
Jhánsi	...	...	...	3,765	3,547	278	
Lalitpur	...	...	...	881	879	36	
Cawnpore	...	...	...	11,365	10,714	218	
Fatehpur	...	...	...	7,740	6,948	202	
Bánda	51	51	...	6,562	6,370	864	
Allahabad	200	185	...	9,329	7,638	254	
Hamírpur	34	48	...	2,603	2,462	294	
Jaunpur	30	30	...	6,581	6,110	144	
Gorakhpur	...	...	...	15,436	15,384	279	
Basti	...	...	...	5,572	5,704	225	
Azamgarh	50	4	...	4,957	4,581	52	
Mirzapur	45	65	...	7,273	6,020	228	
Benares	20	20	...	13,174	11,763	616	
Gházipur	210	...	...	10,498	9,550	156	
Ballia	...	...	...	8,727	8,784	336	
Total ...	7,646	4,895	617	2,70,848	2,45,308	12,393	
High Court, N.-W. P. ...	5,100	5,100	...	...	...	...	
GRAND TOTAL ...	12,746	9,995	617	2,70,848	2,45,308	12,393	

I.—*Showing the number of appeals (cases) preferred, disposed of, and pending in the Courts of Sessions Judges and of District Magistrates in 1883.*

Districts.	*Preferred.*		*Disposed of.*		*Pending.*		Remarks.
	Court of Session.	Court of District Magistrate.	Court of Session.	Court of District Magistrate.	Court of Session.	Court of District Magistrate.	
Dehra Dún	14	6	14	6	1	...	
Saháranpur	147	35	147	34	12	1	
Muzaffarnagar	103	89	112	87	6	2	
Meerut	237	146	236	146	1	...	
Bulandshahr	101	114	101	114	...	...	
Aligarh	103	115	97	115	6	...	
Kumaun	74	36	69	34	7	2	
Garhwál	7	11	8	11	...	...	
Tarái	20	23	20	22	...	1	
Bijnor	84	65	83	65	1	...	
Moradabad	146	149	142	145	4	4	
Budaun	137	21	137	21	...	...	
Bareilly	133	41	135	40	1	1	
Pilibhít	18	30	17	28	1	2	
Sháhjahánpur	80	41	79	40	1	1	
Muttra	45	32	44	31	1	1	
Agra	64	96	64	96	...	...	
Farukhabad	197	143	191	142	11	1	
Mainpuri	45	71	45	71	...	...	
Etáwah	55	57	55	57	...	...	
Etah	251	69	235	69	16	...	
Jalaun	71	26	71	26	...	...	
Jhánsi	29	54	29	54	...	...	
Lalitpur	27	2	26	2	1	...	
Cawnpore	80	65	78	65	2	...	
Fatehpur	55	67	52	67	3	...	
Bánda	43	66	40	61	3	5	
Allahabad	106	59	104	58	2	1	
Hamírpur	47	11	47	9	...	2	
Jaunpur	135	95	135	95	...	...	
Gorakhpur	110	176	108	166	2	10	
Basti	112	82	111	66	1	16	
Azamgarh	65	76	65	76	...	...	
Mirzapur	95	51	93	45	2	6	
Benares	219	81	220	75	2	6	
Gházipur	105	115	102	105	3	10	
Ballia	28	2	26	2	2	...	
Total ...	3,388	2,418	3,338	2,346	92	72	

J.—*Showing the number of applications for revision (cases) preferred, disposed of, and pending in the Courts of Sessions Judges and of District Magistrates in* 1883.

Districts.	*Preferred.*		*Disposed of.*		*Pending.*		Remarks.
	Court of Session.	Court of District Magistrate.	Court of Session.	Court of District Magistrate.	Court of Session.	Court of District Magistrate.	
Dehra Dún	6	2	7	2	...	...	
Saháranpur	17	31	21	31	3	...	
Muzaffarnagar	20	28	21	28	4	...	
Meerut	53	12	53	12	...	...	
Bulandshahr	20	14	20	14	...	...	
Aligarh	103	35	56	35	47	...	
Kumaun	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Garhwál	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Tarái	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Bijnor	8	16	8	16	...	...	
Moradabad	39	67	39	65	...	2	
Budaun	25	43	24	43	1	...	
Bareilly	60	10	61	9	...	1	
Pilibhít	3	14	3	12	...	2	
Sháhjahánpur	13	37	13	37	...	...	
Muttra	9	19	9	19	...	...	
Agra	22	42	19	42	3	...	
Farukhabad	79	58	74	58	7	...	
Mainpuri	21	38	19	38	2	...	
Etáwah	14	39	14	39	...	...	
Etah	32	53	11	52	21	1	
Jalaun	9	2	9	2	...	...	
Jhánsi	10	...	10	...	...	...	
Lalitpur	5	2	5	2	...	...	
Cawnpore	126	23	120	23	6	...	
Fatehpur	37	23	35	21	2	2	
Bánda	22	13	21	12	1	1	
Allahabad	32	67	32	65	...	2	
Hamírpur	11	6	11	6	...	...	
Jaunpur	51	27	49	27	2	...	
Gorakhpur	77	72	77	68	...	4	
Basti	46	90	45	79	1	11	
Azamgarh	13	13	13	13	...	...	
Mirzapur	29	20	27	20	2	...	
Benares	110	48	108	48	4	...	
Gházipur	11	76	11	72	...	4	
Ballia	21	8	21	7	...	1	
Total ...	1,154	1,048	1,066	1,017	106	31	

K.—*Showing the number of persons whose cases came before the Courts of Sessions Judges and of District Magistrates on appeal or application for revision with the result as affecting the orders of the Lower Courts.*

District.	Appeals.				Application for revision.			Remarks.
	Number of persons who appealed.	Ratio per cent. of persons appealing to persons in respect to whom appealable orders were passed.	Number of applicants in whose cases the sentences or orders were confirmed.	Ratio per cent. of affirmed to decided.	Number of applicants for revision.	Number of applications whose applications were rejected or in whose case orders were confirmed.	Ratio per cent. of rejected to disposed of.	
Dehra Dún	28	6·	21	78·	16	13	81·	
Sahárunpur	280	17·	196	79·	90	75	86·	
Muzaffarnagar	286	16·	203	74·	81	67	92·	
Meerut	607	13·	300	50·	107	71	66·	
Bulandshahr	367	13·	196	53·	59	55	93·	
Aligarh	334	14·	202	62·	198	72	69·	
Kumaun	209	45·	125	73·	...	...	...	
Garhwál	48	80·	38	79·	...	...	...	
Tarái	65	23·	47	75·	...	...	...	
Bijnor	208	10·	118	57·	33	23	100·	
Moradabad...	430	15·	286	68·	130	103	80·	
Budaun	253	21·	162	64·	105	87	84·	
Bareilly	235	10·	169	63·	94	70	84·	
Pilibhít	77	9·	42	58·	19	17	100·	
Sháhjahánpur	212	12·	146	70·	87	84	96·	
Muttra	133	6·	92	74·	33	30	91·	
Agra	302	9·	188	62·	105	98	96·	
Farukhabad	510	32·	324	65·	178	131	78·	
Mainpuri	140	8·	90	60·	66	47	75·	
Etáwah	185	12·	108	58·	56	44	79·	
Etah	415	31·	173	44·	125	78	87·	
Jalaun	156	18·	113	72·	17	16	34	
Jhánsi	149	12·	84	56·	18	17	94·	
Lalitpur	37	15·	31	86·	7	6	86·	
Cawnpore	213	9·	145	69·	183	143	81·	
Fatehpur	212	14·	106	51·	64	47	78·	
Bánda	217	12·	116	58·	71	47	68·	
Allahabad	280	11·	170	62·	144	94	62·	
Hamírpur	95	13·	54	58·	33	16	48·	
Jaunpur	328	28·	236	72·	111	72	67·	
Gorakhpur	419	16·	229	57·	173	127	75·	
Basti	325	28·	166	58·	193	156	88	
Azamgarh	275	14·	191	69·	34	33	97·	
Mirzapur	224	12·	129	63·	71	52	84·	
Benares	429	17·	296	71·	206	130	65·	
Gházipur	352	11·	160	48·	113	92	86·	
Ballia	63	10·	50	82·	41	38	95·	
Total ...	9,157	14·	5,602	68·	3,061	2,251	79·	

L.—*Showing the number of appeals and applications for revision (cases) preferred, disposed of, and pending in the High Court in* 1883.

District.	*Appeals.*			*Application for revision.*			Remarks.
	Preferred.	Disposed of.	Pending.	Preferred.	Disposed of.	Pending.	
Agra	36	34	5	38	36	4	
Aligarh	27	23	8	36	36	1	
Allahabad	31	31	5	33	37	2	
Azamgarh	20	25	6	19	22	1	
Bareilly	41	36	7	22	26	3	
Benares	29	29	3	28	27	3	
Bánda	21	22	1	27	26	4	
Cawnpore	37	40	2	39	39	2	
Farukhabad	39	36	8	39	39	2	
Gházipur	21	26	...	32	33	2	
Gorakhpur	33	30	4	57	56	4	
Jaunpur	14	13	2	32	20	8	
Jhánsi	16	17	2	9	9	...	
Kumaun	14	13	1	21	19	4	
Meerut	39	39	4	47	46	4	
Moradabad	25	23	3	35	25	11	
Bijnor-Budaun	37	32	7	27	25	3	
Mainpuri	28	26	2	30	29	1	
Mirzapur	20	20	3	23	25	1	
Saháranpur	51	43	5	37	33	6	
Sháhjahánpur	17	14	3	11	11	...	
Jabbalpur	...	...	...	1	1	...	
Ajmere	...	...	...	1	1	...	
Total ...	606	577	76	644	631	61	

M.—*Showing the result, as affecting persons, of appeal and revision in the High Court in 1883.*

Sessions Division.	*Appeals.*						*Application for revision.*					
	Rejected.	Sentence affirmed.	Sentence reversed.	Sentence varied.	Further enquiry ordered.	Otherwise disposed of.	Rejected.	Order affirmed.	Order reversed.	Order varied.	Further enquiry ordered.	Otherwise disposed of.
Agra	1	27	19	2	...	...	5	20	11	13	13	...
Aligarh	...	20	2	2	2	...	20	12	13	9	12	...
Allahabad	6	31	1	4	...	...	5	43	17	10	2	...
Azamgarh	2	21	2	6	...	—	5	11	7	9	6	...
Bareilly	...	40	7	3	1	...	3	25	7	4	1	...
Benares	...	23	5	3	...	...	10	29	3	1	1	...
Bánda	...	33	13	7	7	...	1	18	35	7	20	...
Cawnpore	3	41	2	7	...	...	6	17	15	6	22	...
Farukhabad	...	44	16	7	...	...	9	19	20	5	6	...
Gházipur	...	34	21	11	...	...	7	39	13	2	2	...
Gorakhpur	3	29	1	2	...	...	12	42	22	15	31	...
Jaunpur	1	10	5	...	...	...	4	16	12	12	4	...
Jhánsi	...	19	7	3	...	...	1	1	3	2	...	...
Kumaun	1	5	4	3	...	...	14	15	13	1	...	...
Meerut	3	38	7	1	2	...	10	22	30	7	30	...
Moradabad	...	37	3	2	...	...	5	23	7	4	2	...
Bijnor-Budaun	1	34	5	3	1	...	5	20	15	6	4	...
Mainpuri	...	26	1	6	...	...	10	16	9	6	14	...
Mirzapur	1	18	4	1	...	...	9	9	10	8	11	...
Saháranpur	1	46	11	6		...	13	30	9	3	5	...
Sháhjahánpur	3	13	...	2	...	...	12	7	2	4	7	...
Lucknow	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jabbalpur	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	3	...	...
Ajmere	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...
Total ...	26	589	136	81	15	...	156	426	275	132	193	...

E.—*Criminal business coming before the High Court, North-Western Provinces in 1883.*

Description of cases.	Remaining from 1882.	Filed in 1883.	Disposed of in 1883.	Remaining at the close of 1883.	Remarks.
ORIGINAL BUSINESS.					
APPEALS.					
By persons convicted — From the orders of Deputy Commissioners acting under section 34 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.	2	3	5	...	
By persons convicted — Sessions Judge ...	42	598	567	73	
By the Local Government. — From the judgment of acquittal of all courts.	3	5	5	3	
Total ...	47	606	577	76	
REFERENCES.					
Cases in which sentence of death passed by Sessions Judges was referred for confirmation under section 374 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.	1	73	68	6	
Cases in which proceedings held against persons who could not understand them were referred for orders under section 341 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.	...	3	3	...	
Total ...	1	76	71	6	
REVISION.					
Cases referred for revision by District Magistrates and Sessions Judges under section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.	12	244	242	14	
Cases dealt with by the Court under section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.—					
(1) Cases decided by Magistrates ...	25	327	321	31	
(2) Cases decided by Sessions Judges ...	11	73	68	16	
Total ...	48	644	631	61	
Full Bench References ...	...	1	1	...	
Grand Total ...	96	1,827	1,280	143	

CRIMINAL STATEMENTS

OF THE

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FOR THE

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1885.

NOTE

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Judicial statement No. 2.—The number of offences reported and of cases returned as true during 1884 as compared with 1882-83, was as follows :—

	"*Reported.*"	"*True.*"
1882	254,048	210,387
1883	241,717	198,809
1884	250,461	196,959

2. The number of cases actually brought to trial shows a steady increase during those years. The figures are :—

1882	98,259
1883	100,287
1884	106,577

3. The offences which show an appreciable increase or decrease in 1884 are as follows :—

Increase.	*Cases.*	Decrease.	*Cases*
Criminal force and assault ...	7,018	Criminal Trespass	1,092
Hurt	1,720	Theft	1,026
Offences against local and special laws ...	1,072	Receiving stolen property	556
Mischief	186	Coin, weights and measures	272
Criminal intimidation	153	Relating to marriage	166
		Ditto public tranquillity (Chapter VIII)	154
		Contempts (Chapter X)	154

4. The number of persons under trial was :—

1882	179,031
1883	180,373
1884	176,267

The decrease seems to point to the more careful exercise of the discretion vested in Magistrates as to issue of process.

5. Of the number of persons under trial 49 per cent. were acquitted or discharged. The percentage in 1882 was 46, and in 1883, 48.

The number of persons convicted was as follows :—

1882	95,144
1883	91,019
1884	87,203

6. The number of accused persons who died, escaped, were transferred to another province or remained under trial, discloses little variation.

7. Prosecutions were most and least successful in the following classes of cases :—

Successful.

Offence.	Persons. *Acquitted or discharged.*	*Convicted.*
Chapter VIII, I. P. C. (Public tranquillity)	1,579	3,582
Ditto X, I. P. C. (Contempts of public authority) ...	1,915	4,052
Ditto XIV, I. P. C. (Public health, &c.)	706	2,712
Theft	5,452	12,939
Receiving stolen property	1,774	3,860
Criminal Procedure Code and local and special laws ...	10,949	36,757

UNSUCCESSFUL.

	Persons.	
	Acquitted or discharged.	*Convicted.*
Hurt	24,735	5,404
Wrongful restraint and confinement	1,634	279
Assault	15,429	3,738
Extortion	463	77
Cheating	881	160
Mischief	9,464	2,151
Offences relating to marriage	2,087	273
Defamation	924	68
Intimidation	674	252

As far as those classes of offences are concerned, the result is almost identical with that for 1883.

8. *Judicial statement No.* 3.—There was not much variation in respect of miscellaneous proceedings under the Code of Criminal Procedure. The following figures are, however, noticeable under heads 4 and 8 ("non-attendance of jurors" and "public nuisances"). The number of persons discharged and convicted was:—

	Head 4.		Head 8.	
	Discharged.	*Convicted.*	*Discharged.*	*Convicted.*
1883	7	41	1	808
1884	46	27	345	826

There was a decrease of 194 in the number of persons bound down to keep the peace, and an increase of 13 only in the number of those called on to furnish security for good behaviour.

9. *Statement A.*—Analysing the figures in statement A, we find the following results as regards the different districts in respect of the different classes of offences for which persons were convicted.

10. *Chapter VIII, Indian Penal Code (Public tranquillity).*—Azamgarh, Moradabad and Meerut head the list with 314, 301 and 200 persons respectively, there having been a marked increase in the figures for the two latter districts as compared with the former year. Etáwah shows also an increase from 41 to 128 persons. On the other hand, the following districts show a decrease:—

Mirzapur	419	to	125
Gorakhpur	315	to	134
Basti	276	to	24
Sháhjahánpur	234	to	137
Ghazipur	100	to	26

11. *Chapters IX—X (Public servants).*—Meerut heads the list with 1,230 persons out of 4,154 for the provinces, and shows an increase of 539 persons. Muzaffarnagar, Cawnpore and Gorakhpur also show an increase of 101, 107 and 101 persons, respectively; while Bareilly, Agra, Gházipur and Ballia show a decrease of 112, 193, 101 and 95, respectively.

12. *Chapters XII—XIII (Coin, stamps, &c.)*—Jhánsi heads the list with 13 persons, and the abnormal number of 211 shown for Meerut in 1883 has fallen to 3 in 1884.

13. *Chapters XIV—XV (Health and religion).*—Allahabad and Meerut both show an increase, the figures having risen from 146 to 544 and 36 to 427, while in Bulandshahr, Bijnor and Mainpuri they fell from 862 to 222, from 986 to 241 and from 186 to 41, respectively.

14. *Chapter XVI (Human body).*—Gorakhpur and Allahabad head the list with 989 and 833 persons, while in Muthra and Gházipur the number fell from 505 to 266, and from 548 to 366. Aligarh shows an increase of 159 persons.

15. *Chapter XVII (Property).*—Gorakhpur (1,835), Meerut (1,127), Azamgarh (1,122), Gházipur (1,120), Benares (1,098), Bánda (1,016) all show a large number of persons. There was a falling off in Gházipur (1,468 to 1,120), in Bánda (1,306 to 1,016), in Farukhabad (708 to 496), and in Fatehpur (597 to 457).

16. *Chapters XVIII—XXII (Miscellaneous).*—The number of persons convicted for such offences was small, save in Kumaon, where it rose from 89 to 119, and in Jhánsi, where it fell from 68 to 20.

17. *Statement C.*—Turning to statement C, we find that in Moradabad 30 persons out of 216 were summarily dealt with under sections 250, Act X, of 1882, and that in Meerut 23 persons out of 143 were proceeded against with a view to forfeiture of their bail or recognizances. Agra heads the list of recalcitrant assessors.

18. In respect of proceedings to keep the peace, there were 1,000 cases in 1884 against 1,084 in 1883; and 3,697 persons were concerned against 3,813 in 1883. Of these, 429 were in Sháhjahánpur, 253 in Farukhabad, 237 in Badaun, 188 in Bánda and 187 in Moradabad. Decrease in respect of such proceedings was noticeable in Badaun (430 to 237), in Muttra (147 to 48), in Fatehpur (265 to 144) and in Gorakhpur (207 to 71).

The number of such persons was small in the following districts:—Lalitpur (0), Jalaun (1), Dehra (11), Garhwál (14), Muzaffarnagar (25), Etáwah (36), Mainpuri (38), and Benares (39).

Recognizances or security was taken from 2,314 persons against 2,508 in 1883 and 2,736 in 1882.

19. There were 810 cases against 716 in 1883, in which 1,389 against 1,298 persons were summoned to show cause why they should not furnish security for good behaviour. Of these, 120 were in Gorakhpur, 105 in Meerut, 104 in Moradabad, 81 in Sháhjahánpur and 74 in Budaun.

The number was small in the following districts:—Kamaon (8), Garhwál (3), Tarái (8), Jhánsi (4), Cawnpore (7), Azamgarh (9), Benares (5).

Security was taken from 892 persons as compared with 1,005 in 1882 and 879 in 1883.

20. In several districts no proceedings in respect of public nuisances were taken. In such cases 1,199 persons were concerned, and of these 431 were in Gorakhpur, 249 in Jhánsi, 149 in Agra and 108 in Etah.

21. In respect of proceedings regarding disputed possession and maintenance the cases were few, and the only districts which show any number of persons are Gházipur (51), Allahabad (46) and Ballia (37) as regards the former; and Allahabad (74), Benares (70), Mirzapur (57) and Jaunpur (56) as regards the latter class of proceedings.

22. Under special and local laws the most numerous convictions were:—

	1883.	1884.
Act V, 1861 (Police)	13,709	13,753
Municipal Act	7,311	5,953
Canal Act	4,626	4,729
Cantonment Act	2,694	2,980
Gambling Act	1,529	1,812
Cattle-trespass Act	1,015	1,071
Excise Act	1,023	854

23. Convictions under the Police Act were most numerous at Agra (1,413), Meerut (1,369), Mirzapur (1,086), Gházipur (1,060), and Benares (1,015); and under the Municipal Act, at Cawnpore (724), Saháranpur (697), Moradabad (459) and Jaunpur (425). This latter class of prosecutions shows a considerable falling off as compared with 1883.

24. Under the Canal Act there has again this year been a slight increase. Meerut shows 790, Bulandshahr 774, Cawnpore 512, Etáwah 447, Muzaffarnagar 435 and Mainpuri 410 convictions.

25. As regards breaches of cantonment laws, Jhánsi shows 380, Meerut 378, Dehra 367, Cawnpore 332 and Sháhjahánpur 300 convictions. At Dehra and Sháhjahánpur the number would appear to be large.

26. As regards Gambling prosecutions, the following districts are conspicuous :—

Gházipur	269
Agra	188
Mirzapur	169
Sháhjahánpur, Benares	150 each.

27. Gorakhpur again heads the list of convictions under the Cattle-trespass Act (152 out of 1,071), Bulandshahr and Meerut come next, showing 68 and 65 persons convicted.

28. There has been a decrease in convictions under the Excise Act. Gorakhpur and Allahabad show 66 each ; Fatehpur shows 56 and Bareilly 53.

29. Under the Arms Act, out of 353 convictions, Agra shows 53, Kumaon 48 and Muttra 40.

30. Under the Railway Act there were 522 convictions, of which 71 were in Bareilly, 47 in Allahabad, 46 in Benares, 45 in Sháhjahánpur, 43 in Cawnpore and 41 in Agra.

31. Of 156 convictions under the Infanticide Act, 23 were in Saháranpur.

32. Of 358 convictions under the Stamp Act, 71 were in Jhánsi, 68 in Bareilly, 35 in Jaunpur and 32 in Mirzapur.

33. There were 158 persons convicted under the Hackney-carriages Act, of whom 34 belonged to Allahabad.

34. *Judicial statement* 4.—The following figures show a comparison of the work done in 1882-84.

		Cases.
Benches of Magistrates	1882	2,713
	1883	2,270
	1884	5,787
Unpaid Magistrates sitting singly	1882	13,541
	1883	13,453
	1884	12,689
Stipendiary Magistrates	1882	83,260
	1883	83,957
	1884	80,436
Sessions Judges	1882	1,405
	1883	1,355
	1884	1,319
High Court	1882	7
	1883	4
	1884	3

35. The most noticeable point about these figures is that the Benches of Magistrates have disposed of more than double the number of cases this year, and thus relieved the stipendiary magistracy to a considerable extent.

36. The number of cases disposed of by Benches and by Honorary Magistrates in these districts was considerable and the Court has already acknowledged, with thanks, the assistance so given :—

	Cases.
Sháhjahánpur	1,351
Bulandshahr	1,284
Meerut	1,182
Cawnpore	1,078
Agra	885

	Cases.
Benares	702
Bareilly	694
Budaun	659
Saháranpur	592
Jaunpur	548
Bánda...	216

37. The number of persons convicted by the different classes of tribunals and the percentages they bore to the number acquitted, were as follows :—

	1883.		1884.	
	No.	Percentage.	No.	Percentage.
Magistrates	89,519	·51	85,741	·50
Courts of Session ...	1,492	·63	1,458	·67
High Court	8	·73	4	·100

38. The number of persons convicted on summary trial shows a decrease, as follows :—

	Special Magistrates.	*1st class Magistrates.*	*District Magistrates.*
1883	522	10,323	861
1884	385	8,539	804
	137	1,784	57

39. The highest and lowest percentages in different districts in respect of convictions were :—

In Courts of Session.—(Statement D.)

Dehra Dún	100·	Gházipur	49·
Tarái	100·	Mirzapur	50·
Etáwah	94·	Agra	54·
Allahabad	90·	Benares	54·
Pilibhít	87·	Azamgarh	55·
Sahárapus	84·		

In Courts of Magistrates.—(Statement E.)

Jhánsi	71·	Tarái	28·
Hamírpur	70·	Basti	30·
Saháranpur	66·	Azamgarh	35·
Ballia	66·	Bulandshahr	38·
Garhwál	62·	Pilibhít	40·
Dehra	61·	Etah	40
Sháhjahánpur	61·		

40. The percentages shown in the last column of statements D and E for 1883 and 1884 show in the following districts variation of 20 or more in Courts of Session, and of 10 or more in Courts of Magistrates :—

Courts of Session.

Increase.		*Decrease.*	
Aligarh	35 to 66	Muzaffarnagar	82 to 59
Bijnor	49 to 82	Pilibhít	80 to 60
Moradabad	53 to 73	Benares	74 to 54
Budaon	52 to 73	Gházipur	80 to 49
Etah	35 to 64		
Lalitpur	19 to 74		
Allahabad	70 to 90		

Courts of Magistrates.

Increase.		*Decrease.*	
Pilibhít	27 to 40	Tarái	39 to 28
Sháhjahánpur	35 to 61		

41. *Statements B, D and E.*—The number of cases and persons remaining under trial at the close of the year was as compared with 1882-83 :—

		Cases.	*Persons.*
Courts of Session ...	1882	98	176
	1883	110	210
	1884	143	273
Courts of Magistrates ...	1882	802	1,566
	1883	814	1,417
	1884	781	1,347

42. Arrears were heaviest in the former class of Courts at Agra and Muttra (72), and Aligarh and Etah (35); and in the latter at Meerut (132), Basti (102), Gorakhpur (82) and Allahabad (73).

43. *Judicial statement* 4.—The average duration of cases remained much the same. The figures are :—

	1882.	1883.	1884.
	Days.	Days.	Days.
Magistrates' Courts	4	4	4
Courts of Session	35	34	33
High Court	38	36	35

44. *Statement G.*—The number of witnesses who attended the Courts in 1882 to 1884 was :—

	1882.	1883.	1884.
Courts of Magistrates	370,806	365,748	358,772
Courts of Session	13,710	14,111	13,991
High Court	121	93	67
Total ...	384,637	379,952	372,830

45. Of those who attended Courts of Session 9,401, or 67 per cent., were discharged on the 1st day; 2,447 on the 2nd day; 978 on the 3rd day, and 1,165 after the 3rd day.

46. The Courts which appear to have detained witnesses most are those of Aligarh and Etáh (132 and 198 discharged after the 3rd day), Allahabad (95), Jaunpur (131), Gorakhpur (144). On this point the Judge of Aligarh (Mr. Aikman) makes the following remarks :—

"The large number of witnesses shown as detained for over 3 days is owing to the practice which prevailed of summoning the whole of the witnesses in each trial for the first day for which the trial was set down for hearing. Thus in one case eighty witnesses, and in another forty-eight witnesses were summoned for the first day, and a majority of them were necessarily detained for some days. I have now discontinued this practice. I allot a certain time for each trial according to an estimate given me by the committing Magistrate of the number of hours the inquiry lasted in his Court, and summon for each day only so many witnesses as can be examined within the day. This will obviate for the future the long detention which this statement brings to light. The 132 witnesses shown in column 11 belong to the period during which I was in charge."

His example might, with advantage, be followed by other Judges.

47. Of those witnesses who attended Courts of Magistrates, 329,484, or 91 per cent., were discharged on the first day; 23,192 on the second; 4,528 on the third, and 1,568 after the third day. The only districts which exhibit a considerable number of witnesses detained over three days were Gorakhpur (223), Moradabad (183), Bánda (158), Allahabad (105), and Saháranpur (100). Gorakhpur and Moradabad also show 592 and 504 witnesses, respectively, as discharged on the third day.

48. *Statement F.*—The following figures show the number of witnesses who were examined and who received remuneration, and the amount paid to them in 1883-84.

	Attended.		*Examined.*		*Paid.*		*Amount.*	
	1883.	1884.	1883.	1884.	1883.	1884.	1883.	1884.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.	Rs.	Rs.
Courts of Magistrates ...	365,748	358,772	331,628	327,127	42,998	53,147	15,758	19,129
Courts of Session ...	14,111	13,991	10,481	10,277	11,058	10,490	7,683	7,774
High Court ...	93	67	93	27	93	67	1,865	2,490
Total ...	379,952	372,830	342,202	337,431	54,149	63,704	25,306	29,393

49. Thus of those who attended Courts of Session 75 per cent. received remuneration. The percentage in 1882 was 73 and in 1883, 78. Meerut, Bulandshahr and Benares show unfavourably in this respect. In the former Judgeship, although 478

witnesses were examined, only 243 were paid ; while in the latter only 150 were paid out of 412 who were examined.

50. In Magistrates' Courts the number of witnesses paid rose by 10,149, and the percentage in 1884 to 14, which is an improvement. In 1882 it was only 7, while in 1883 it was 11.

51. The districts which show most favourably in this respect are the Sessions Courts of Mainpuri (98), and Gházipur and Ballia (97), Jaunpur and Mirzapur (96), Basti (92) and Jalaun (91); while in Magistrates' cases the percentages were high in the following districts—Hamírpur (43), Jalaun (31), Ballia (28), Budaun (27) and Lalitpur (25). The percentages in the Courts of Session at Meerut, Bulandshahr and Benares were only 34 in the first and 31 in the two last-mentioned districts ; while in Magistrates' Courts the following low percentages are noticeable :—Dehra (2), Meerut (5), Kumaun (2), Garhwál (1), Tarái (3), Aligarh, Agra, Allahabad and Gházipur (8), and Benares (1). Payment of diet money to witnesses seems to depend a good deal on the practice of individual Magistrates, and it is noticeable that while in Meerut the percentage was 5, it was 20 in Bulandshahr, the next district ; similarly, in Gházipur it was 8, while in Ballia it was 28. More uniformity would seem to be desirable.

52. The average amount paid to each witness was Rs. 37 in the High Court, As. 11-10 in Courts of Session and As. 5-9 in Courts of Magistrates. In 1883 the amounts were Rs. 20, As. 11-1 and As. 5-10, respectively.

53. Of those who attended, 10,277, or 73 per cent., were examined in Courts of Session and 327,127, or 90 per cent., in Courts of Magistrates.

54. *Judicial statement* 5.—As regards punishments, no material difference is noticeable in respect of the number of persons sentenced to death or transportation ; 2,401 fewer persons were sentenced to rigorous and 435 more persons to simple imprisonment. There was a decrease of 2,383 and 1,587 in the number of persons sentenced to fine and whipping, respectively ; also of 181 and 273 in the number of persons ordered to find security to keep the peace or for good behaviour and of those imprisoned in default of furnishing the latter kind of security.

55. The following figures exhibit details regarding the punishment of whipping:—

	Number whipped.
1882	4,873
1883	4,780
1884	3,193

56. The details of 3,193 are—

In lieu of other punishment	2,774
In addition to other punishment	346
Juveniles for offences other than those mentioned in sections 2, 3 and 4 of the Whipping Act	73
Total ...	3,193

Further details are—

Stripes.	
1 to 5	474
6 „ 10	932
11 „ 15	839
16 „ 20	494
21 „ 25	128
26 „ 30	276
Total ...	3,193

57. Out of the whippings awarded, 2,755, or 86 per cent., were on first conviction, and 438, or 14 per cent., on second or subsequent conviction.

58. The chief offences for which whipping was awarded as punishment were :—

	Persons.
Theft	2,266
Receiving stolen property	426
House-trespass and house-breaking	404

59. Whipping was inflicted in 13 per cent. of the number of cases in which it might have been inflicted. In 1882 the percentage was 22 and in 1883, 16.

60. Details of fines are as follows :—

	Persons fined.	Amount.	Amount realized.	Percentage realized.
	No.	Rs.	Rs.	
1882 ...	64,227	3,21,413	2,79,099	87
1883 ...	61,262	2,83,594	2,56,303	90
1884 ...	59,879	2,93,459	2,46,355	83

61. *Statement H.*—Further details are :—

	Amount.	Amount realized.	Percentage.
	Rs.	Rs.	
Courts of Session	14,556	5,477	37
Magistrates' Courts	2,78,903	2,40,878	86

62. In Courts of Session the comparatively small amount realized is mainly due to the fact that in Fatehpur only Rs. 187 were realized out of Rs. 5,950, in Agra and Muttra only Rs. 141 out of Rs. 1,700, and that in Jaunpur and Benares Rs. 450 remained unrealized. The Etah outstanding balance mentioned in paragraph 39 of last year's report has been realized this year.

63. In the Tarái more fines were realized than were imposed during the year, while in Sahárunpur Rs. 8,903 were realized out of Rs. 8,935, in Lalitpur Rs. 1,276 out of Rs. 1,298, in Hamírpur Rs. 2,117 out of Rs. 2,191, in Ballia Rs. 5,347 out of Rs. 5,492, and in Jalaun Rs. 2,180 out of Rs. 2,367. Of larger districts, Gorakhpur shows Rs. 14,520 out of Rs. 15,976 and Cawnpore Rs. 13,428 out of Rs. 14,695. Meerut shows the largest amount, Rs. 25,716 out of Rs. 27,825.

64. The amount of compensation paid during 1882-84 was :—

	By Courts of Session.	*By Magistrates.*	*Total.*
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.
1882	522	13,726	14,248
1883	617	12,393	13,010
1884	732	12,820	13,552

65. Of Rs. 732, Rs. 400 was paid in Budaon and Rs. 68 in Bijnor. The largest amounts paid by Magistrates were in the following districts :—Bareilly, Rs. 1,170; Meerut, Rs. 1,061; Benares, Rs. 870; Bánda, Rs. 839; and Cawnpore, Rs. 726; while in Ballia, Mainpuri, Muzaffarnagar, Lalitpur and Jaunpur the amounts were only Rs. 52, 69, 73, 83 and 94, respectively.

APPEALS.

66. *Judicial statement* 6. *Statement I.*—The following gives an abstract of the appellate business of the Courts in 1882-84.

	Preferred.			Disposed of.			Pending.		
	1882.	1883.	1884.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1882.	1883.	1884.
Magistrates ...	1,872	2,418	2,866	1,824	2,346	2,768	48	72	98
Courts of Session ...	2,571	3,388	4,329	2,422	3,338	4,762	152	92	103
High Court ...	550	606	749	570	577	781	47	76	44

It will be seen that there has been a gradual increase to a considerable extent in the number of appeals in all Courts.

67. The following districts show a large number of appeals :—

Courts of Session.		*Magistrates.*	
Moradabad	273	Gorakhpur	257
Farukhabad	266	Meerut	200
Meerut	264	Moradabad	173
Benares	260	Farukhabad	166
Gorakhpur	239	Mirzapur	155

68. The increase was most marked in the following districts :—

Courts of Session.		*Magistrates.*	
Gorakhpur	110—239	Gorakhpur ...	176—257
Moradabad	146—273	Mirzapur ...	51—155
Mainpuri	45—138	Shahjahánpur ...	41—108
Muttra	45—129		
Bánda and Hamírpur ...	90—208		

69. Magistrates and Sessions Judges attribute the increase to the abolition of the power to enhance punishment which they formerly possessed. A prisoner now, as a matter of course, appeals from the jail. He has, as a rule, everything to gain by appealing and nothing to lose; for it is seldom that a Lower Appellate Court takes the trouble to refer a case to the High Court solely with a view to enhancement of punishment. Column 6 of Judicial statement No. 6 shows that 34 persons only had their sentences enhanced by the High Court on revision in 1884.

70. The state of the pending files is satisfactory. The largest number of appeals pending is shown in the Court of the Judge of Gházipur (11), and in the Court of the Magistrate of Gorakhpur (19). The number pending in the High Court was 44.

71. Of the 12,334 persons who appealed, the cases of 11,957 were disposed of with the following result : —

	Appeal.			
	Disposed of.	*Summarily rejected.*	*Confirmed.*	*Percentage rejected and confirmed.*
Magistrates	5,110	231	2,992	63·
Courts of Session	5,696	969	3,247	74·
High Court	1,151	78	752	72·
Total ...	11,957	1,278	6,991	69·

72. The result as regards Courts subordinate to the High Court compares favourably with that for 1883, when the percentage was only 63·. (*Vide* statement K.) It was in 1882 only 52· per cent.

73. *Statement K.*—The districts in which the percentage of persons appealing to Courts of Session and Magistrates is much above the average, are :—

Garhwál	50·
Kumaun	44·
Farukhabad	41·
Hamirpur	30·
Moradabad	27·
Basti	27·

74. The districts showing the best and worst results in respect of decisions confirmed, are :—

Dehra...	97·	Gházipur	47·
Budaun	86·	Allahabad	57·
Shahjahánpur	83·	Fatehpur	58·

75. The duration of appeals shows a slight improvement. It was :—

	Days.	
	1883.	1884.
Magistrates' Courts	10	9
Courts of Session	13	12
High Court against ... { Convictions	33	33
High Court against ... { Acquittals	93	104
Total ...	14	13

76. The following figures exhibit the result of applications for revision which came before the different Courts during 1882-84 :—

	Preferred.			*Disposed of.*			*Pending.*		
	1882.	1883.	1884.	1882.	1883.	1884.	1882.	1883.	1884.
Magistrates	920	1,048	917	899	1,017	889	21	31	28
Courts of Session ...	915	1,154	1,225	819	1,066	1,210	104	106	82
High Court	505	644	805	496	631	822	48	61	44
Total ...	2,340	2,848	2,947	2,214	2,714	2,921	173	198	104

Such applications show a slight decrease this year in Magistrates' Courts, but again an increase in Courts of Session and the High Court.

77. The following districts are marked for the large number of such applications :—

Courts of Session.		*Courts of Magistrates.*	
Aligarh and Etah	149	Gorakhpur	85
Cawnpore and Fatehpur	124	Basti	62
Gorakhpur and Basti	120	Moradabad	59
Benares	86	Aligarh	58
Farukhabad	76		

78. The state of the pending files of this class of cases discloses no arrears requiring explanation.

79. Of the 4,905 persons who applied for revision, the cases of 4,735 were disposed of with the following result :—

	Disposed of.	*Summarily rejected.*	*Confirmed.*	*Percentage rejected and confirmed.*
Magistrates	1,064	500	382	83·
Courts of Session ...	2,014	1,344	212	77·
High Court	1,657	290	703	60·
	4,735	2,134	1,297	79·

80. The districts which show good and bad results under this head are :—

	Percentage.		*Percentage.*
Dehra	100	Bánda	50
Kumaun	100	Meerut	60
Jhánsi ... } Lalitpur ... }	100	Jalaun	67
		Jaunpur	67
Budaun	94	Moradabad	68
Mainpuri	94		
Sháhjahánpur	93		

81. The result as compared with that for 1883 is much the same. The percentage for Courts subordinate to the High Court was also 79· in 1883. (*Vide* statement K.)

82. The duration of such applications shows an improvement, on the whole. It was :—

	Days.		
	1882.	1883.	1884.
Magistrates' Courts	8	9	9
Courts of Session	14	19	12
High Court	27	24	28
	15	16	14

83. The original business which came before the High Court in 1882-84 was—

	Cases.		
	For disposal.	*Disposed of.*	*Pending.*
1882	9	7	2
1883	4	4	...
1884	3	3	...

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Name of Province.	Area.	Population.	Number of divisions for Courts under Chief Court, but superior to Chief Courts of districts.	Number of districts.	Number of sub-districts.	Total number of officers exercising original or appellate jurisdiction.					TOTAL NUMBER OF CASES DECIDED.				Total receipts of the Courts.	Total charges of the Courts.	Remarks.
						Judges of Chief Court of Province.	Judges of other Courts superior to Chief District Courts.	Judges of Chief Courts of districts.	Judges of District Courts other than Chief Courts.	Judges of other subordinate Courts.	Original.		Appeals.				
											Regular.	Miscellaneous.	Regular.	Miscellaneous.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
	Sq. mls.																
Territory in the North-Western Provinces subject to the Criminal jurisdiction of the High Court.	81,865	32,720,128	21	37	179	5	21	37	...	515	97,019	3,215	7,811	2,921	...	...	
Total ...	81,865	32,720,128	21	37	179	5	21	37	...	515	97,019	3,215	7,811	2,921	...	...	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT 2—(CRIMINAL).

Statement of offences reported and of persons tried, convicted, and acquitted of each class of offence in the North-Western Provinces in the year 1884.

Description of offence.	Number of offences reported.	Number of cases returned as true.	Number of cases brought to trial during the year.	Number of persons.					Remarks.
				Under trial during the year, including pending from previous year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Died, escaped, or transferred to another province.	Remaining under trial.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Offences against the State, Chapter VI of the Indian Penal Code	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Ditto relating to the army and navy, Chapter VII	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Ditto against the public tranquility ditto VIII	1,240	1,166	999	5,481	1,579	3,582	32	288	
Ditto by, or relating to, public servants ditto IX	265	182	169	252	151	92	1	8	
Contempts of the lawful authority of public servants, ditto X	2,468	2,200	2,175	6,015	1,915	4,062	9	29	
False evidence and offences against public justice, ditto XI	1,454	1,205	1,140	1,589	636	906	8	30	
Offences relating to coin and Government stamp, ditto XII	119	106	103	119	55	64	...	...	
Ditto relating to weights and measures, ditto XIII	190	164	161	216	114	95	1	6	
Ditto affecting the public health, safety, convenience, decency and morals, Chapter XIV ...	1,326	1,099	961	3,428	706	2,712	4	6	
Ditto relating to religion, Chapter XV	241	135	60	154	111	40	...	3	
Offences affecting the human body; Chapter XVI. — Offences affecting life	1,577	1,410	1,146	1,736	629	964	14	129	
Causing of miscarriage, injuries to unborn children, exposure of infants and the concealment of births.	216	214	160	195	76	111	...	8	
Hurt	50,860	40,979	18,105	33,457	24,735	8,404	126	172	
Wrongful restraint and wrongful confinement	2,394	1,256	1,142	1,925	1,634	279	6	6	
Criminal force and assault	35,616	27,249	19,358	19,348	15,429	3,738	70	111	
Kidnapping, forcible abduction, slavery and forced labour	327	187	121	217	121	80	1	15	
Rape	344	186	154	186	114	63	...	9	
Unnatural offence	125	104	77	96	43	48	...	5	
Offences against property, Chapter XVII. — Theft	39,950	35,808	13,350	18,693	5,452	12,939	115	187	
Extortion	1,889	1,282	321	549	463	77	1	8	
Robbery and dacoity	949	378	307	781	401	319	4	57	
Criminal misappropriation of property	1,357	1,031	357	549	320	214	2	13	
Ditto breach of trust	1,251	720	611	752	425	309	3	15	
Receiving of stolen property —	4,341	4,105	3,597	5,799	1,774	3,860	24	141	
Cheating	2,665	1,667	644	768	581	160	6	21	
Fraudulent deed and disposition of property	39	22	13	21	18	3	...	...	
Mischief	23,119	18,294	6,892	11,725	9,464	2,151	23	87	
Criminal trespass	36,557	22,464	7,200	10,486	5,854	4,409	26	197	
Offences relating to documents and to trade or property marks, Chapter XVIII	340	180	138	242	153	68	4	17	
Criminal breach of contracts of service, ditto XIX	136	109	17	45	41	4	...	...	
Offences relating to marriage, ditto XX	5,879	3,100	1,835	2,493	2,087	373	10	23	
Defamation, ditto XXI	283	709	170	295	224	68	1	2	
Criminal intimidation, insult and annoyance, ditto XXII	4,662	4,162	649	942	674	252	...	16	
Under the Code of Criminal Procedure and offences against special and local laws	27,599	25,146	24,454	47,762	10,949	36,757	45	111	
Total	2,50,461	1,96,959	1,06,577	1,76,267	86,908	87,293	536	1,620	

JUDICIAL STATEMENT 3—(CRIMINAL).

Statement of miscellaneous proceedings under the Code of Criminal Procedure in the North-Western Provinces during 1884.

Nature of proceedings.	Total number of cases before the Courts during the year.	Number of persons concerned.	Number of persons discharged.	Number of persons convicted.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6
1 Frivolous or vexatious complaints summarily dealt with under Chapter XX., Section 250 ...	172	216	48	168	
2 Proceedings against witnesses under Chapter VI. and Section 485 of Chapter XXXV. ...	...	...	...	...	
3 Forfeiture of bail or recognizance under Chapter XLII.	99	143	14	128	1 remaining.
4 Non-attendance of Jurors or Assessors, Chapter XXIII., Section 332	59	73	46	27	
5 Contempts of Courts under Chapter XXXV., Section 480	56	65	3	62	
6 Proceedings under Chapter VIII., to prevent breach of the peace	1,000	3,697	1,364	2,314	19 remaining.
7 Security for good behaviour under Chapter VIII.	810	1,389	465	892	32 „
8 Proceedings against public nuisance, Chapter X.	347	1,199	345	826	28 „
9 Possession, Chapter XII. and Section 522 of Chapter XLIII.	121	260	136	110	14 „
10 Maintenance, Chapter XXXVI.	713	713	489	215	9 „
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Class of tribunal.	Persons sentenced to										Detail of Punishment.															
				Imprisonment.							Fine.									Imprisonment.					Whipped.			
	Death.	Transportation.	Penal servitude.	Rigorous.	Simple.	Forfeiture of property.	Fine.	Whipping.	Persons ordered to fine or give security or recognizance to keep the peace or sureties for good behaviour.	Persons imprisoned in default of security for good behaviour.	Rs. 10 and under.	Rs. 50 and under.	Rs. 100 and under.	Rs. 500 and under.	Rs. 1,000 and under.	Above Rs. 1,000.	Total amount of fines imposed during the year.	Total amount of fines realised during the year.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	15 days and under.	6 months and under.	2 years and under.	7 years and under.	Above 7 years.	10 stripes and under.	20 stripes and under.	30 stripes and under.	Number of boys whose sentences were commuted to detention in a reformatory school.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Village Officers ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Subordinate Magistrates. — Special Magistrates section 14.	...	...	...	310	37	...	2,167	45	17	...	5,972	2,750	300	700	...	...	9,722	8,527	338	87	238	22	...	...	22	21	2	...
Subordinate Magistrates. — Honorary „ sitting singly.	...	...	...	836	80	...	7,934	80	31	...	12,674	4,568	895	320	...	...	18,457	16,280	461	346	518	52	...	...	44	35	1	...
Subordinate Magistrates. — Stipendiary Magistrates sitting singly. — 2nd and 3rd class.	...	...	...	6,089	492	...	24,704	281	22	...	60,126	21,621	1,145	400	...	...	83,292	81,783	3,046	3,240	3,330	11	...	...	154	112	15	...
Subordinate Magistrates. — Stipendiary Magistrates sitting singly. — 1st class.	...	...	...	12,781	1,056	...	16,854	2,489	2,885	325	52,679	59,691	14,953	16,813	4,750	...	1,48,886	1,18,161	8,434	1,669	8,074	4,084	10	...	1,027	1,109	353	...
Benches of Magistrates,	...	...	...	158	20	...	7,029	1	...	...	7,925	1,194	200	...	...	...	9,319	8,074	50	85	93	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
Chief Magistrates of districts.	...	...	...	617	55	...	1,090	262	241	21	2,944	3,638	1,330	1,300	...	...	9,227	8,053	501	82	359	219	12	...	160	72	30	...
Courts of Sessions ...	63	230	...	1,165	7	...	101	35	10	10	347	1,600	2,654	3,150	1,805	5,000	14,556	5,477	732	4	130	233	725	80	4	17	14	...
High Court ...	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	1	1	...	...	...	...
Total ...	63	230	...	21,960	1,747	...	59,879	3,193	3,206	356	1,42,667	95,077	21,477	22,683	6,555	5,000	2,93,459	2,46,355	13,552	5,513	12,743	4,622	748	81	1,411	1,367	415	...

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Offences for which awarded.	Number of stripes.							Remarks.
	5 and under.	6 to 10.	11 to 15.	16 to 20.	21 to 25.	26 to 30.	Total.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
In addition to other punishments (Sections 3 and 4).								
A.—Section 3:—								
1 Theft as defined in ... ... Section 378, I. P. C. ...	6	31	43	36	6	37	159	
„ 380 „ ...	1	3	15	5	...	7	31	
„ 381 „ ...	...	...	...	1	...	2	3	
„ 382 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	
2 Extortion as defined in ... ... „ 388 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ 389 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3 Dishonestly receiving stolen property, as defined in. „ 411 „ ...	2	4	14	28	4	22	74	
„ 412 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
4 Lurking house trespass as defined in, „ 443 „ ...	...	1	...	...	1	4	6	
5 Lurking house trespass by night as defined in „ 444 „ ...	...	1	5	2	...	3	11	
6 House-breaking as defined in ... „ 445 „ ...	...	1	1	2	...	4	8	
7 House-breaking by night as defined in „ 446 „ ...	...	...	9	12	5	15	41	
8 Offences under Section 19, Act XXVII., 1871	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	
9 Ditto ditto 14, Act III., 1880	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
B.—Section 4:—								
1 False evidence as defined in ... Section 193, I. P. C. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ 194 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ 195 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
2 False charge of unnatural offence as defined in ... ... Sections 211 & 377, I. P. C.,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
3 Assault as defined in ... .. Section 354, I. P. C. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
4 Rape as defined in ... ... „ 375 „ ...	...	1	...	3	1	...	5	
5 Unnatural offence as defined in ... „ 377 „ ...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	
6 Robbery as defined in ... ... „ 390 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
7 Dacoity as defined in ... ... „ 391 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
8 Attempt at robbery as defined in ... „ 393 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
9 Hurt in committing robbery as defined in „ 394 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	1	1	
10 Receiving stolen property as defined in „ 413 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ 465 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ 466 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
11 Forgery as defined in ... ... „ 467 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ 468 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
„ 469 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
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14 House-breaking as defined in ... „ 445 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
15 House-breaking by night as defined in „ 446 „ ...	...	1	...	...	...	3	4	
Total ...	9	43	87	91	17	99	346	

PART III.

Showing whippings inflicted under section 5, Act VI., 1864, on Juveniles for offences other than those specified in Parts I and II.

Offence.			Stripes.												Total.	Remarks.
			5 *and under.*		6 *to* 10.		11 *to* 15.		16 to 20		21 *to* 25.		26 *to* 30.			
			1st conviction.	Subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	Subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	Subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	Subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	Subsequent conviction.	1st conviction.	Subsequent conviction.		
1			2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
1 Giving false evidence ...	Section	193, I. P. C. ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
2 Delivering counterfeit coin	„	241 „ ...	...	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	3	
3 Altering appearance of coin	„	249 „ ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
4 Causing death ...	„	304 „ ...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
5 Attempt to commit suidide	„	309 „ ...	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	
6 Voluntarily causing hurt ...	„	323 „ ...	...	...	...	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	2	
7 Causing hurt by dangerous weapon	„	324 „ ...	2	...	1	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	5	
8 Voluntarily causing grievous hurt	„	325 „ ...	2	...	3	...	1	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	7	
	„	332 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	1	
9 Wrongful confinement ...	„	344 „ ...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
10 Assault or criminal force to a woman	„	354 „ ...	1	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	4	
11 Rape	„	375 „ ...	1	...	2	...	1	...	...	...	2	...	1	...	7	
12 Unnatural offence ...	„	377 „ ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	3	
13 Robbery	„	390 „ ...	...	...	...	...	3	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	5	
14 Criminal misappropriation	„	403 „ ...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	
15 Criminal breach of trust ...	„	405 „ ...	...	...	2	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	
16 Assisting in concealment of stolen property ...	„	414 „ ...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	
17 Mischief ...	„	425 „ ...	...	...	4	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	
18 Gambling, Act III., 1867 ...		... ...	...	...	2	...	...	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	
19 Railway, Act IV., 1879 ...		... ...	7	...	5	...	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	14	
20 Excise, Act XXII., 1881 ...		... ...	1	...	...	...	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	
	Total	...	15	...	28	...	14	...	10	1	3	1	1	...	73	

PART IV.

Showing relative number of times whipping was awarded as compared with other punishments.

Punishments.	Number.	Remarks.
1	2	
1. Total number of whippings awarded *	3,193	
2. Total number of other punishments †	23,847	
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				Cases in which the Judge approved of the verdict.	Cases in which the Judge did not approve of the verdict.		Number of persons of the verdict in respect to whom the Judge disapproved.		Number of cases in which the Judge agreed with assessors.	Number of cases in which the Judge differed from.		
					Wholly.	Partially.	Whose cases he referred under section 307 of Criminal Procedure Code.	Whose cases he did not refer under section 307 of Criminal Procedure Code.		One assessor.	Both assessors.	
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
II.—CRIMINAL COURTS.												
Magistrate's Courts under Chapter X., Criminal Procedure Code.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Courts of Sessions ... Jurors ...	Number of Jurors, 7	5	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Assessors ...	Number of Assessors, 2 or more ...											
...	Qualifications as described in sections 319 and 320 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.	...	1,206	...	...	...	...	...	876	83	247	
High Court, original Criminal Jurisdiction. Jurors ...	Qualifications as described in sections 319 and 320 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.	3	...	3	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
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District.	Offences against the State and relating to the army and navy, chapters VI and VII., Indian Penal Code.	Offences against the public tranquility, chapter VIII.	Offences by or relating to public servants, chapters IX and X.	Offences against public justice and false evidence, chapter XI.	Offences relating to Coin, stamps, weights and measures, chapters XII. and XIII.	Offences affecting public health, &c., and religion, chapters XIV. and XV.	Offences affecting the human body, chapter XVI.	Offences against property, chapter XVII.	Miscellaneous offences under the Penal Code, chapters XVIII. to XXII.	Total offences under the Penal Code.	Offences under the Code of Criminal Procedure and under special laws.	Grand Total.
Dehra Dún ...	...	41	38	...	12	23	80	150	11	355	702	1,057
Saháranpur ...	...	58	201	26	7	6	280	544	15	1,137	1,473	2,610
Muzaffarnagar ...	...	36	146	22	4	23	239	531	12	1,013	1,143	2,156
Meerut	...	200	1,230	57	3	427	429	1,127	35	3,578	3,298	6,876
Bulandshahr ..	...	23	96	18	1	222	406	414	5	1,187	1,422	2,609
Aligarh	...	47	54	22	4	17	599	674	4	1,421	1,052	2,473
Kumaun	...	54	67	21	2	5	184	159	119	611	588	1,199
Garhwál	...	15	62	8	...	1	72	40	24	222	24	246
Tarái	...	15	16	5	...	4	81	116	10	247	125	372
Bijnor	...	87	50	23	1	241	341	466	10	1,219	627	1,846
Moradabad ...	...	301	146	45	4	132	543	810	22	2,003	1,122	3,125
Budaun	...	129	164	38	2	296	412	805	8	1,861	749	2,610
Bareilly	...	108	25	39	4	110	489	913	19	1,707	1,616	3,323
Pilibhít	...	48	20	24	1	6	211	320	15	645	310	955
Sháhjahánpur ...	...	137	53	11	1	22	524	755	17	1,520	1,314	2,834
Muttra	...	68	100	30	12	38	266	775	8	1,297	936	2,233
Agra	...	101	82	34	9	61	476	974	29	1,766	2,364	4,130
Farukhabad ...	...	58	46	27	5	12	405	496	10	1,060	949	2,009
Mainpuri ...	...	129	66	22	1	41	190	391	5	845	794	1,639
Etáwah	...	128	56	25	4	23	194	559	12	1,001	957	1,958
Etah	..	72	138	28	2	18	350	573	5	1,186	917	2,103
Jalaun	...	28	39	7	2	1	147	422	13	659	338	997
Jhánsi	...	41	86	11	13	8	199	559	20	937	842	1,779
Lalitpur	...	45	43	2	4	...	65	255	13	427	196	623
Cawnpore ...	...	147	154	17	8	242	567	977	72	2,204	2,303	4,507
Fatehpur ...	...	33	24	13	2	26	370	457	9	934	560	1,494
Bánda	...	165	49	29	2	14	523	1,016	31	1,829	559	2,388
Allahabad ...	...	180	48	33	6	544	833	994	23	2,661	1,245	3,906
Hamírpur ...	...	23	14	26	3	5	198	504	17	790	289	1,079
Jaunpur	...	98	84	28	4	30	414	577	16	1,245	1,073	2,318
Gorakhpur ...	..	134	147	46	10	39	989	1,835	35	3,235	762	3,997
Basti	...	24	178	38	...	20	287	835	23	1,405	206	1,611
Azamgarh ...	...	314	48	45	5	1	321	1,122	20	1,876	327	2,203
Mirzapur ...	...	125	59	31	7	10	595	674	27	1,528	1,448	2,976
Benares	...	187	42	22	6	49	681	1,098	26	2,111	1,778	3,889
Gházipur	...	26	251	22	6	24	386	1,120	24	1,839	1,694	3,533
Ballia	...	157	32	17	2	11	259	402	1	881	655	1,536
Total ...	...	3,582	4,154	906	159	2,752	13,685	24,439	765	50,442	36,757	87,199
High Court, N.-W. P.,	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	2	...	4	...	4
Grand Total ...		3,582	4,154	906	159	2,752	13,687	24,441	765	50,446	36,757	87,203

B.—*Showing the number of cases brought to trial during the year, disposed of, and pending in the Courts of Session and the Courts of Magistrates, in 1884.*

Districts.	Courts of Session			Courts of Magistrates			Remarks.
	Brought to trial.	Disposed of.	Pending.	Brought to trial.	Disposed of.	Pending.	
Dehra Dún	2	1	1	1,177	1,175	2	
Saháranpur	26	24	2	4,028	3,997	31	
Muzaffarnagar	38	28	10	2,116	2,108	8	
Meerut	41	38	3	5,745	5,699	46	
Bulandshahr	26	24	2	3,303	3,279	24	
Aligarh	60	55	5	3,048	3,036	12	
Kumaun	10	10	...	1,320	1,308	12	
Garhwál	1	1	...	186	179	7	
Tarái	5	5	...	686	684	2	
Bijnór	27	24	3	2,264	2,254	10	
Moradabad	82	78	4	3,159	3,136	23	
Budaun	52	42	10	2,727	2,695	32	
Bareilly	98	91	7	4,421	4,407	14	
Pilibhít	41	36	5	1,263	1,260	3	
Sháhjahánpur	43	39	4	3,860	3,842	18	
Muttra	56	45	11	2,477	2,460	17	
Agra	67	62	5	4,962	4,931	31	
Farukhabad	47	47	...	2,080	2,025	55	
Mainpuri	27	26	1	1,923	1,913	10	
Etawah	32	30	2	1,900	1,887	13	
Etah	58	51	7	3,388	3,377	11	
Jalaun	13	9	4	933	922	11	
Jhánsi	8	7	1	1,418	1,418	...	
Lalitpur	8	8	...	769	761	8	
Cawnpore	89	76	13	4,665	4,621	44	
Fatehpur	43	41	2	1,499	1,475	24	
Bánda	43	36	7	2,234	2,216	18	
Allahabad	58	51	7	3,985	3,949	36	
Hamirpur	31	30	1	1,102	1,084	18	
Jaunpur	37	36	1	3,516	3,486	30	
Gárakhpur	66	58	8	4,743	4,683	60	
Basti	51	49	2	3,162	3,118	44	
Azamgarh	47	42	5	3,581	3,566	15	
Mirzapur	44	39	5	3,171	3,144	27	
Benares	48	44	4	4,089	4,065	24	
Ghazipur	20	19	1	3,632	3,607	25	
Ballia	17	17	...	1,161	1,145	16	
Total ...	1,462	1,319	143	99,693	98,912	781	

C.—*Showing the number of persons concerned in cases decided under the miscellaneous provisions of the Criminal Procedure Code, during* 1884.

Districts.	Frivolous or vexatious complaints summarily dealt with under Chapter XX., Section 250.	Proceeding against witnesses under Chapter VI., and Section 485 of Chapter XXXV.	Forfeiture of bail or recognizance under Chapter XLII.	Non-attendance of Jurors or Assessors, Chapter XXIII., Section 332.	Contempts of Court under Chapter XXXV., Section 480.	Proceedings under Chapter VIII., to prevent breach of peace.	Proceedings under Chapter VIII., security for good behaviour.	Proceedings against public nuisances, Chapter X.	Possession, Chapter XII. and Section 522 of Chapter XLIII.	Maintenance XXXVI.	Total of persons.
Dehra Dún	...	...	...	...	...	11	...	...	1	13	25
Saháranpur	2	...	...	2	...	54	25	...	...	12	95
Muzaffarnagar ...	...	...	2	...	...	25	38	...	...	3	68
Meerut	19	...	23	...	15	147	105	6	7	...	322
Bulandshahr	1	...	...	...	3	130	40	15	7	17	213
Aligarh	9	...	...	2	...	83	56	...	...	4	154
Kumaun	...	...	1	...	...	88	8	...	...	18	115
Garhwál	2	...	1	...	...	14	3	...	...	8	28
Tarái	...	...	...	...	...	65	8	...	...	...	73
Bijnor	6	...	2	1	...	69	55	54	...	20	207
Moradabad	30	...	2	...	...	187	104	...	...	6	329
Budaun	5	...	7	4	...	237	74	...	14	30	371
Bareilly	6	...	3	...	5	95	49	2	2	27	189
Pilibhít	11	...	2	...	...	61	28	...	...	3	105
Sháhjahánpur ...	4	...	5	1	1	429	81	...	9	23	553
Muttra	5	...	6	10	6	48	47	4	...	2	128
Agra	13	...	13	25	9	86	66	149	...	9	369
Farukhabad	5	...	7	10	4	253	65	8	13	7	372
Mainpuri	10	...	...	5	...	38	14	...	...	9	76
Etáwah	9	...	3	3	...	36	45	52	3	5	156
Etah	18	...	...	2	...	85	25	108	3	3	244
Jalaun	...	...	6	...	...	1	11	...	...	...	18
Jhánsi	...	...	...	...	...	74	4	249	...	12	339
Lalitpur	3	...	...	...	...	...	24	...	...	16	43
Cawnpore	1	...	2	...	9	50	7	47	2	18	136
Fatehpur	...	...	4	...	...	144	24	2	1	9	184
Bánda	3	...	6	2	1	188	23	...	12	33	268
Allahabad	10	...	6	...	1	150	20	2	46	74	309
Hamírpur	...	...	...	...	...	110	25	2	...	13	150
Jaunpur	9	...	6	...	3	114	23	...	13	56	224
Gorakhpur	6	...	10	...	6	71	120	431	20	44	708
Basti	1	...	2	...	...	111	30	4	7	31	186
Azamgarh	1	...	...	2	...	11	9	...	3	20	46
Mirzapur	...	...	4	3	2	139	34	48	3	57	290
Benares	11	...	11	1	...	39	5	...	6	70	143
Gházipur	...	...	...	...	...	129	25	16	51	31	252
Ballia	16	...	9	...	...	125	70	...	27	10	267
Total ...	216	...	143	73	65	3,027	1,389	1,199	260	713	7,755

D.—*Showing the results of trials in the Courts of Session in* 1884 (*as affecting persons*).

Districts.	Number of persons under trial during the year.	Acquitted or discharged.	Convicted.	Referred.	Died, escaped, or transferred	Remaining under trial.	Number per cent. of persons entered in columns 3 and 4, and of those whose cases were referred under section 374 (C.P.C.), who were convicted.	Remarks.
Dehra Dún ...	4	...	1	...	3	...	100	
Saháranpur ...	38	6	28	4	...	...	84	
Muzaffarnagar ...	54	18	24	2	...	10	59	
Meerut ...	74	25	39	3	...	7	63	
Bulandshahr ...	54	21	31	...	...	2	60	
Aligarh ...	125	40	79	...	...	6	66	
Kumaun ...	11	2	9	...	...	...	82	
Garhwál ...	3	3	...	...	...	...	...	
Tarái ...	6	...	6	...	...	...	100	
Bijnor ...	34	6	25	3	...	...	82	
Moradabad ...	113	30	76	1	...	6	73	
Budaun ...	79	19	48	4	2	6	73	
Bareilly ...	159	59	83	4	1	12	60	
Pilibhít ...	88	19	56	5	1	7	87	
Sháhjahánpur ...	82	23	54	2	...	3	71	
Muttra ...	130	33	38	3	...	56	55	
Agra ...	156	64	71	5	...	16	54	
Farukhabad ...	67	28	36	3	...	...	58	
Mainpuri ...	36	7	26	...	1	2	80	
Etáwah ...	39	2	31	...	3	3	94	
Etah ...	119	32	57	1	...	29	64	
Jalaun ...	24	6	9	...	...	9	60	
Jhánsi ...	18	3	13	1	...	1	82	
Lalitpur ...	23	6	13	4	...	...	74	
Cawnpore ...	128	20	80	4	...	24	81	
Fatehpur ...	72	23	44	5	...	...	68	
Bánda ...	140	49	67	...	1	23	58	
Allahabad ...	137	13	109	2	2	11	90	
Hamírpur ...	57	21	35	...	...	1	63	
Jaunpur ...	64	22	41	...	...	1	65	
Gorakhpur ...	90	29	49	1	...	11	63	
Basti ...	78	19	54	2	1	2	75	
Azamgarh ...	73	30	35	2	3	3	55	
Mirzapur ...	70	27	25	2	...	16	50	
Benares ...	78	33	39	...	2	4	54	
Gházipur ...	33	16	15	...	...	2	49	
Ballia ...	18	5	12	...	1	...	71	
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Benares	260	Farukhabad	166
Gorakhpur	239	Mirzapur	155

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Districts.	Number of witnesses examined.				Amount paid as expenses.		Remarks.
	Courts of Session.		*Magistrates' Courts.*		*Courts of Session.*	*Magistratees' Courts.*	
	Number of persons to whom payments were made.	Number of witnesses examined.	Number of persons to whom payments were made.	Number of witnesses examined.	Amount paid.	Amount paid.	
					Rs.	Rs.	
Dehra Dún	15	22	62	2,246	21	29	
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Muzaffarnagar	250	292	1,428	7,714	107	312	
Meerut	158	305	829	14,825	72	329	
Bulandshahr	85	173	2,012	8,226	33	724	
Aligarh	556	539	1,032	14,618	330	346	
Kumaun	21	34	53	2,524	53	76	
Garhwál	...	11	12	852	...	10	
Tarai	15	34	54	1,630	12	34	
Bijnor	153	168	2,056	7,843	123	866	
Moradabad	639	490	2,747	13,300	394	1,184	
Budaun	317	304	2,771	9,804	209	885	
Bareilly	617	722	3,439	15,331	280	996	
Pilibhít	355	325	1,005	4,670	273	419	
Sháhjahánpur	450	353	2,480	10,137	211	949	
Muttra	624	484	1,377	8,714	536	465	
Agra	673	595	1,482	15,543	525	909	
Farukhabad	381	326	1,722	10,167	281	729	
Mainpuri	201	148	1,297	6,203	93	301	
Etáwah	138	132	1,097	6,961	79	396	
Etah	655	567	1,425	9,545	418	402	
Jalaun	60	59	1,177	3,598	29	228	
Jhánsi	95	105	1,176	4,468	62	367	
Lalitpur	35	42	793	2,747	17	231	
Cawnpore	241	241	1,416	11,165	213	477	
Fatehpur	381	381	1,905	7,591	101	439	
Bánda	311	498	2,398	10,399	355	797	
Allahábad	113	116	1,569	14,748	323	1,059	
Hamirpur	290	302	2,179	4,573	326	462	
Jaunpur	374	324	1,557	9,189	390	353	
Gorakhpur	439	396	1,359	21,431	572	565	
Basti	472	429	1,950	8,742	375	705	
Azamgarh	422	290	2,047	9,762	222	475	
Mirzapur	310	305	1,325	10,776	202	626	
Benares	150	412	253	17,231	208	353	
Gházipur	179	97	1,043	11,784	78	374	
Ballia	116	51	1,837	5,984	99	557	
Total ...	10,490	10,277	53,147	3,27,127	7,774	19,129	
High Court, N.-W. P. ...	67	27	...	...	2,490	...	
Grand Total ...	10,557	10,304	53,147	3,27,127	10,264	19,129	

G.—*Showing the detention of witnesses in Courts of Session and Courts of Magistrates, in 1884.*

Districts.	Number of witnesses discharged.							
	Courts of Session.				*Magistrates' Courts.*			
	On the 1st day.	On the 2nd day.	On the 3rd day.	After the 3rd day.	On the 1st day.	On the 2nd day.	On the 3rd day.	After the 3rd day
Dehra Dún	22	...	...	...	2,480	61	...	1
Saháranpur	168	32	23	...	7,384	788	180	100
Muzaffarnagar	342	...	...	...	7,822	493	88	8
Meerut	253	33	97	69	15,018	627	68	14
Bulandshahr	182	92	...	...	8,930	683	141	94
Aligarh	339	223	25	132	11,887	421	47	...
Kumaun	44	...	...	...	2,583	6	8	..
Garhwál	11	...	...	...	841	...	10	1
Tarái	34	...	...	...	1,684	10	...	...
Bijnor	47	100	42	11	8,009	385	65	6
Moradabad	341	234	94	133	12,602	1,328	504	183
Budaun	267	114	29	...	9,015	796	210	41
Bareilly	643	43	14	1	13,715	1,334	186	61
Pilibhit	416	47	29	12	4,588	448	103	12
Sháhjahánpur	344	118	24	30	10,019	743	175	14
Muttra	538	115	95	26	8,422	558	162	90
Agra	664	196	7	...	16,305	986	53	16
Farukhabad	390	99	21	42	9,310	787	289	88
Mainpuri	196	9	...	...	6,246	229	5	...
Etáwah	196	...	...	...	7,918	213	41	8
Etah	337	148	101	198	9,521	106	18	19
Jalaun	39	...	27	...	3,556	278	23	...
Jhánsi	64	4	42	...	4,229	500	95	20
Lalitpur	59	...	...	...	2,915	158	48	19
Cawnpore	291	75	26	...	12,525	756	57	...
Fatehpur	400	48	8	...	7,529	883	217	57
Bánda	511	51	5	...	10,031	975	184	158
Allahabad	42	6	13	95	16,371	1,001	174	105
Hamírpur	324	19	...	...	4,668	324	16	...
Jaunpur	132	44	88	131	10,015	516	94	13
Gorakhpur	169	121	74	144	20,149	2,186	592	223
Basti	169	181	81	81	8,236	841	141	86
Azamgarh	411	58	11	...	9,747	402	48	1
Mirzapur	208	113	...	...	11,371	848	199	76
Benares	375	43	2	51	17,085	1,153	94	2
Gházipur	120	55	...	...	11,775	651	44	6
Ballia	93	26	...	...	5,583	718	149	46
Total ...	9,401	2,447	978	1,165	3,29,484	23,192	4,528	1,568

H.—*Showing the total amount of fines imposed in the exercise of original Jurisdiction by the Criminal Courts in 1884, the amount realised, and the amount paid by way of compensation.*

Districts.	Courts of Session.			Magistrates' Courts.			Remarks.
	Total amount of fines.	Amount realised.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	Total amount of fines.	Amount realised.	Amount paid by way of compensation.	
	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	Rs.	
Dehra Dún	...	...	...	5,850	5,231	143	
Sahárunpur	85	85	50	8,985	8,903	379	
Muzaffarnagar	...	25	...	5,762	5,395	73	
Meerut	...	...	...	27,825	23,716	1,061	
Bulandshahr	...	...	...	8,657	7,761	378	
Aligarh	250	166	50	6,514	6,166	279	
Kumaun	...	...	...	6,215	4,759	493	
Garhwál	...	...	...	2,052	1,625	589	
Tarái	...	...	...	1,078	1,235	176	
Bijnor	730	406	68	6,366	4,831	155	
Moradabad	...	...	...	9,927	7,815	364	
Budaun	1,090	664	400	8,312	7,730	185	
Bareilly	130	30	...	14,342	12,330	1,170	
Pilibhít	...	...	...	2,189	1,820	257	
Sháhjahánpur	25	...	...	6,202	5,257	249	
Muttra	1,100	33	...	9,245	7,640	294	
Agra	600	108	...	7,231	6,636	248	
Farukhabad	10	10	10	6,420	4,529	292	
Mainpuri	54	54	54	4,808	4,568	69	
Etáwah	...	...	...	6,464	5,845	214	
Etah	1,450	2,205	50	7,492	5,734	397	
Jalaun	...	...	...	2,367	2,180	208	
Jhánsi	...	...	...	4,264	3,584	239	
Lalitpur	...	...	...	1,298	1,276	83	
Cawnpore	200	220	...	14,695	13,428	726	
Fatehpur	5,950	187	50	4,979	3,792	257	
Bánda	17	17	...	7,674	7,126	839	
Allahabad	1,405	635	...	13,353	11,043	410	
Hamírpur	1,000	560	...	2,191	2,117	227	
Jaunpur	250	...	...	7,823	6,277	94	
Gorakhpur	...	...	...	15,976	14,520	228	
Basti	10	10	...	5,164	4,379	531	
Azamgarh	...	...	...	4,000	3,726	137	
Mirzápur	...	62	...	7,316	6,208	108	
Benares	200	...	...	13,981	10,375	870	
Gházipur	...	...	...	6,744	5,980	366	
Ballia	...	...	...	5,492	5,347	52	
Total ...	14,556	5,477	732	2,78,903	2,40,878	12,820	
High Court, N.-W. P. ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
GRAND TOTAL ...	14,556	5,477	732	2,78,903	2,40,878	12,820	

I.—*Showing the number of appeals (cases) preferred, disposed of, and pending in the Courts of Sessions Judges and of District Magistrates in* 1884.

Districts.	*Preferred.*		*Disposed of.*		*Pending.*		Remarks.
	Court of Session.	Court of District Magistrate.	Court of Session.	Court of District Magistrate.	Court of Session.	Court of District Magistrate	
Dehra Dún	9	6	10	4	...	2	
Sahárunpur	134	55	135	53	3	2	
Muzaffarnagar	169	91	171	90	4	1	
Meerut	264	200	260	198	4	2	
Bulandshahr	77	91	74	87	3	4	
Aligarh	83	138	82	128	1	10	
Kumaun	49	28	56	26	...	2	
Garhwál	16	14	16	14	...	...	
Tarái	14	11	14	11	...	...	
Bijnor	123	51	122	51	1	...	
Moradabad	273	173	273	173	...	...	
Badaun	186	22	183	20	3	2	
Bareilly	148	50	145	48	4	2	
Pilibhít	39	34	39	33	1	1	
Sháhjahánpur	131	108	129	108	2	...	
Muttra	129	43	126	43	3	...	
Agra	78	71	78	70	...	1	
Farukhabad	266	166	274	159	3	7	
Mainpuri	138	75	137	75	1	...	
Etáwah	55	58	53	56	2	2	
Etah	183	89	178	89	5	...	
Jalaun	64	47	64	47	...	...	
Jhánsi	60	37	60	37	...	...	
Lalitpur	39	6	37	6	2	...	
Cawnpore	76	107	76	96	...	11	
Fatehpur	59	66	59	65	...	1	
Bánda	89	97	88	93	1	4	
Allahabad	107	44	102	40	5	4	
Hamírpur	119	32	117	30	2	2	
Jaunpur	152	76	148	75	4	1	
Gorakhpur	239	257	230	238	9	19	
Basti	109	42	107	40	2	2	
Azamgarh	95	116	91	112	4	4	
Mirzápur	103	155	95	150	8	5	
Benares	260	106	255	105	5	1	
Gházipur	135	94	124	88	11	6	
Ballia	59	10	54	10	5	...	
Total ...	4,329	2,866	4,262	2,765	103	98	

J.—*Showing the number of applications for revision (cases) preferred, disposed of, and pending in the Courts of Sessions Judges and of District Magistrates in* 1884.

Districts.	*Preferred.*		*Disposed of.*		*Pending.*		Remarks.
	Court of Session.	Court of District Magistrate.	Court of Session.	Court of District Magistrate	Court of Session.	Court of District Magistrate.	
Dehra Dún	2	1	2	1	...	...	
Saháranpur	24	21	26	24	1	...	
Muzaffarnagar	29	18	32	18	1	...	
Meerut	62	14	61	14	1	...	
Bulandshahr	20	8	18	8	2	...	
Aligarh	56	58	52	53	4	5	
Kumaun	3	...	3	...	...	...	
Garhwál	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Tarái	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Bijnor	7	8	7	8	...	...	
Moradabad	46	59	44	59	2	...	
Budaun	38	30	37	30	1	...	
Bareilly	49	14	47	14	2	...	
Pilibhít	10	12	10	12	...	...	
Sháhjahánpur	9	21	9	21	...	...	
Muttra	24	21	23	21	1	...	
Agra	57	43	57	42	...	1	
Farukhabad	76	37	88	36	...	1	
Mainpuri	19	27	19	26	...	1	
Etáwah	15	39	15	37	...	2	
Etah	63	18	60	18	3	...	
Jalaun	6	2	6	2	...	...	
Jhánsi	2	...	2	...	...	...	
Lalitpur	6	...	6	...	...	...	
Cawnpore	86	35	84	31	2	4	
Fatehpur	38	37	36	36	2	1	
Bánda	19	41	17	41	2	...	
Allahabad	39	36	38	36	1	...	
Hamírpur	22	9	22	7	...	2	
Jaunpur	47	35	46	34	1	1	
Gorakhpur	87	85	86	80	1	5	
Basti	33	62	33	61	...	1	
Azamgarh	20	20	20	18	...	2	
Mirzápur	36	22	35	22	1	...	
Benares	86	35	86	34	3	1	
Gházipur	44	31	43	31	1	...	
Ballia	15	15	15	14	...	1	
Total ...	1,225	917	1,210	889	32	28	

K.—*Showing the number of persons whose cases came before the Courts of Sessions Judges and of District Magistrates on appeal or application for revision with the result as affecting the orders of the Lower Courts.*

Districts.	Appeals.				Application for revision.			Remarks.
	Number of persons who appealed.	Ratio per cent. of persons appealing to persons in respect to whom appealable orders were passed.	Number of appeals in whose cases the sentences or orders were confirmed.	Ratio per cent. of affirmed to decided.	Number of applicants for revision.	Number of applicants whose applications were rejected or in whose case orders were confirmed.	Ratio per cent. of rejected to disposed of.	
Dehra Dún	29	6·	26	97·	3	3	100·	
Saháranpur	306	17·	212	72·	69	60	91·	
Muzaffarnagar	347	19·	264	77·	72	53	76·	
Meerut	770	14·	533	70·	140	81	60·	
Bulandshahr	292	13·	180	63·	50	31	77·	
Aligarh	340	16·	195	65·	240	200	87·	
Kumaun	182	44·	110	65·	3	3	100·	
Garhwál	51	50·	35	68·	...	...	...	
Tarái	36	19	23	64·	...	...	...	
Bijnor	252	16·	193	77·	25	20	80·	
Moradabad	706	27·	481	68·	179	120	68·	
Badaun	290	20·	240	86·	102	93	94·	
Bareilly	288	12·	185	65·	89	65	82·	
Pilibhít	121	16·	73	61·	28	23	82·	
Shábjahánpur	392	17·	321	83·	46	43	93·	
Muttra	232	13·	147	64·	56	45	82·	
Agra	241	9·	146	61·	166	140	84·	
Farukhabad	607	41·	429	72·	175	141	81·	
Mainpuri	259	18·	195	75·	71	66	94·	
Etáwah	174	11·	104	61·	64	51	82·	
Etah	394	23·	259	67·	130	100	79·	
Jalaun	186	24·	141	76·	9	6	67·	
Jhánsi	137	13·	99	72·	4	4	100·	
Lalitpur	58	24·	39	70·	19	19	100·	
Cawnpore	273	9·	170	66·	147	125	88·	
Fatehpur	219	18·	125	58·	92	80	91·	
Bánda	400	20·	254	65·	108	48	50·	
Allahabad	286	12·	154	57·	97	74	77·	
Hamírpur	223	30·	151	69·	35	29	89·	
Jaunpur	320	18·	197	62·	133	88	67·	
Gorakhpur	741	24·	505	74·	209	163	81·	
Basti	280	27·	197	71·	147	106	73·	
Azamgarh	324	16·	215	70·	55	46	87·	
Mirzapur	404	17·	272	69·	73	63	88·	
Benares	504	20·	353	71·	193	128	70·	
Gházípur	353	12·	158	47·	96	74	78·	
Ballia	98	10·	58	62·	59	47	87·	
Total ...	11,115	17	7,439	69.	3,184	2,438	79·	

L.—*Showing the number of appeals and applications for revision (cases) preferred, disposed of, and pending in the High Court, in* 1884.

Districts.	*Appeals*			*Application for revision*			Remarks.
	Preferred.	Disposed of.	Pending.	Preferred.	Disposed of.	Pending.	
Agra	41	45	1	35	37	2	
Aligarh	61	65	4	45	44	2	
Allahabad	32	37	...	30	31	1	
Azamgarh	26	30	2	32	27	6	
Bareilly	58	59	6	23	26	...	
Benares	28	27	4	66	64	5	
Bánda	41	42	...	27	28	3	
Cawnpore	48	47	3	36	36	2	
Farukhabad	24	27	...	94	91	5	
Gházipur	11	11	...	28	28	2	
Gorakhpur	54	55	3	65	67	2	
Jaunpur	25	24	3	36	39	...	
Jhánsi	25	25	1	18	18	..	
Kumaun Dvision ...	11	12	...	25	28	1	
Meerut	32	32	4	70	68	6	
Moradabad	58	59	2	22	33	...	
Bijnor-Badaun Dvision ...	44	50	1	27	28	2	
Mainpuri	34	35	1	31	31	1	
Mirzapur	23	24	2	27	28	...	
Saháranpur	47	45	7	48	51	3	
Sháhjahánpur	26	29	...	20	19	1	
Oudh	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Jabbalpur Division ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Ajmere	...	...	...	...	...	...	
Total ...	749	781	44	805	822	44	

M.—*Showing the result, as affecting persons of appeal and revison in the High Court in* 1884.

Sessions Division.	*Appeals.*						*Application for revision.*					
	Rejected.	Sentence affirmed.	Sentence reversed.	Sentence varied.	Further enquiry ordered.	Otherwise disposed of—	Rejected.	Order affirmed.	Order reversed.	Order varied.	Further enquiry ordered.	Otherwise disposed of—
Agra	2	47	5	5	2	...	17	38	75	4	12	...
Aligarh	6	69	13	5	...	...	4	31	21	4	23	...
Allahabad	3	49	6	3	20	...	6	35	10	12	2	...
Azamgarh	3	18	3	9	5	...	11	31	1	...	6	...
Bareilly	8	57	16	18	...	...	3	20	12	4	3	...
Benares	1	25	6	5	...	...	18	59	21	3	23	...
Bánda	1	51	16	13	11	...	2	14	45	7	4	...
Cawnpore	8	42	5	7	4	...	10	18	7	7	15	...
Farukhabad ...	1	28	4	6	...	...	32	94	28	10	5	...
Gházipur	3	9	1	...	...	...	6	27	15	2	...	...
Gorakhpur ...	9	42	8	6	1	...	43	50	18	...	6	...
Jaunpur	3	25	4	4	...	...	2	15	49	6	7	...
Jhánsi	1	34	1	7	...	...	14	18	...	1	...	...
Kumaun Division ...	1	7	2	1	...	...	33	34	3	3	1	...
Meerut	5	29	6	4	...	...	24	63	20	4	8	...
Moradabad	6	53	10	8	...	...	6	21	31	15	...	...
Bijnor-Budaun ...	3	39	8	17	...	...	15	13	9	6	6	...
Mainpuri	7	27	2	7	...	...	20	39	4	4	5	...
Mirzapur	2	29	3	6	...	...	13	23	4	...	2	...
Saháranpur ...	4	34	13	9	...	...	6	48	22	27	3	...
Sháhjahánpur ...	1	38	4	2	...	...	5	12	6	10	3	...
Oudh	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Jabbalpur	...	...	...	—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Ajmere	..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Total ...	78	752	136	142	43	...	290	703	401	129	134	...

N.—Criminal business coming before the High Court, North-Western Provinces in 1884.

Description of cases.	Remaining from 1883.	Filed in 1884.	Disposed of in 1884.	Remaining at the close of 1884.	Remarks.
Original business	...	3	3	...	
Appeals.					
By persons convicted ... { From orders of Deputy Commissioners acting under Section 34 of the code of criminal procedure.	...	8	7	1	
{ Sessions Judges	73	734	765	42	
By Local Government ... { From the Judgment of acquittal of all courts	3	5	8	...	
Total ...	76	750	783	43	
References.					
Cases in which sentence of death passed by Sessions Judges was referred for confirmation under Section 374 of the Code of Criminal Procedure	6	71	74	3	
Cases in which proceedings held against persons who could not understand them were referred for orders under Section 341 of the Code of Criminal Procedure ...	...	...	...	...	
Total ...	6	71	74	3	
Revision.					
Cases referred for revision by District Magistrates and Sessions Judges under section 438 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.	14	244	255	3	
Cases dealt with by the court under Section 439 of the Code of Criminal Procedure.					
(1) Cases decided by Magistrates	31	486	483	34	
(2) Cases decided by Sessions Judges	16	73	84	5	
Total ...	61	803	822	42	
Full Bench References ... { Appeals / Revision	1	4	2	3	
Grand Total ...	144	1,628	1,681	91	